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G. F. HATTON'S STENOGRAPHER

Would Not Give the Nature of
Correspondence to the Grand
Jury.

SAN FRANCISCO, April 2.—At the session of the Grand Jury yesterday afternoon Miss Lucille Cochran, Attorney Hatton's stenographer, testified that directors of the Home Telephone Company appeared frequently at Hatton's office for consultation. She was questioned later as to whether she had written letters at Hatton's dictation to the Home Telephone Company, and advised that she had but refused to reveal the nature of the correspondence.

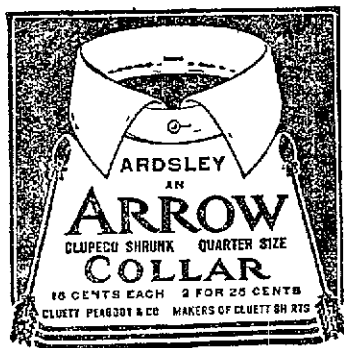
Hartley Peart, an attorney in Hatton's office, testified to the visits of Home Telephone directors but could not tell the Grand Jury what it sought to ascertain.

MULLALLY IS NOT RELATED

Has No Ties That Bind Him to
President Patrick
Calhoun

SAN FRANCISCO, April 2.—It is generally thought that Thornwall Mullally of the United Railroads has made some sort of a confession.

It has been understood that Mullally was a nephew of Patrick Calhoun, president of the United Railroads. This is not so.



"LIFE OF AN ELISOR;" BY ABE RUEF, A PRISONER

Woes of the Curly Boss Set Forth in
Application to Court for Writ of
Habeas Corpus.

SAN FRANCISCO, April 2.—Abe Ruef's application to the Supreme Court for a writ of habeas corpus for the purpose of releasing him from the custody of Elisor W. J. Biggy, covers twenty pages of foils and contains sixty eight alleged reasons for the granting of the writ.

It sets forth among other things That Abraham Ruef is unlawfully imprisoned and restrained of his liberty by W. J. Biggy in a room in a two-story house at 2849 Fillmore street near the corner of Green in this city.

The illegality consists in the following facts:

That Biggy is not the Sheriff or Coroner of San Francisco county.

That Thomas F. O'Neill is the duly elected qualified and acting Sheriff of San Francisco county.

That W. J. Biggy is not an officer of the city and county of San Francisco nor of the State of California nor of the United States of America.

STORY OF CHARGES

That on the 16th of November 1906 five indictments were filed against Ruef and that the court set the bail at \$10,000 on each of the indictments.

Bail bonds in such sum were given by Ruef accepted by the court and the defendant was released from custody.

The defendant prior to March 5th pleaded not guilty to the indictments.

On the latter date the bondsman of the accused surrendered him into the custody of Sheriff O'Neill and on the same date Ruef petitioned the Superior Court for a writ of habeas corpus for the purpose of releasing him from the custody of the Sheriff on the violation of the petition's rights in violation of the constitution of the United States.

The writ was denied and the prisoner was remanded to the custody of the Sheriff.

WRIT OF ERROR

On March 5th Ruef applied to the Judge of the Superior Court for the allowance of a writ of error to the Supreme Court of the United States.

The clerk of the Circuit Court of the United States for the northern district of California issued the writ of error and the hearing of this writ the Superior Court admitted the defendant to bail in the sum of \$10,000.

The bail bond was approved and Ruef was released from custody.

The petition then sets forth that Ruef had been advised by his counsel to the effect that pending the determination of the appeal to the Supreme Court

all proceedings in the matter of the indictments in the Superior Court were stayed.

WHY HE RAN AWAY.

The temporary disappearance of Ruef is supposed of as follows:

Your petitioner having been in attendance upon the said Superior Court so pending against him upon said indictment for the greater part of four months previous to the said 4th day of March 1907 and being indisposed did conclude to visit a suburban resort in the city and county of San Francisco and to remain there several days for the purpose of recuperating and resting that notwithstanding the proceedings in error on the 5th of March 1907 the said Superior Court

in department 6, and after the introduction in evidence in said court of all the proceedings of and concerning the said writ of error to the Supreme Court of the United States said Judge Dunne presiding thereover did issue a bench warrant for your petitioner and did cause the same to be placed in the hands of Thomas F. O'Neill Sheriff of the city and county of San Francisco for service that said bench warrant was received by O'Neill on or about the 5th day of March, 1907.

SHERIFF DISQUALIFIED.

Then follows the statement that Sheriff O'Neill reported that he had been unable to find Ruef. To that it is alleged were attached affidavits by officers prosecuting the defendant. No other affidavits affecting the Sheriff it is alleged were filed.

It was then shown that Judge Dunne issued an order disqualifying Sheriff O'Neill on the alleged ground of bias and prejudice in favor of your petitioner, on the alleged ground that the Sheriff was inefficient to execute the attachments or the bench warrants.

It is further alleged that the order disqualifying the Sheriff was based solely and exclusively upon affidavits attached to the application.

Then follows a recital of the issuance by Judge Dunne of warrants for the arrest of Ruef of the placing of the same in the hands of the coroner and the return upon them that he (the coroner) could not find the defendant.

RETURNS REQUESTED

Commenting upon this inability of the Sheriff and Coroner to locate Ruef, the petition continues as follows:

Your petitioner avers that he is advised and therefore states the fact to be that the said returns by said Sheriff and Coroner were by the prosecution, requested from the said Sheriff and

STENOGRAPHER'S NOTES ARE STRONG EVIDENCE

Prosecution Has Deiweiler's Correspondence Officially Read Before the Grand Jury.

SAN FRANCISCO, April 2.—When the time comes for the prosecution of A. K. Deiweiler, an important feature will be the stenographic notes of Miss Nellie Smith, who acted as this indicted man's secretary for a time. These notes are now in the possession of Assistant District Attorney Heney, who had them officially translated for the grand jury yesterday.

It is said that these stenographic notes give every detail of the dealings relative to the purchase of the Superior Court by Deiweiler had with Ruef before the actual payment of the money. There was much correspondence

between the two, the stenographic notes covering nearly 500 pages of tabular paper.

It took three sittings on the witness stand for Francis J. Heney to persuade Miss Nellie Smith to produce the notes she took in writing Deiweiler's letters. She at first could not remember their existence, later she feared they were lost and then she stated that they were not in her possession. It was not until after the luncheon Miss Smith took with Detective Burns during which Burns carefully explained to her the law of perjury, that Miss Smith finally decided to bring forth the stenographic notes. She gave them to the grand jury that afternoon.

Coroner at the time the said returns were made.

A similar charge is made that, at the request of the prosecution the Coroner, at a later date also declared that he had not been able to locate the defendant.

Affidavits to this effect were filed by the prosecution and it is alleged that on the strength of those affidavits Judge Dunne issued an order declaring the Sheriff and Coroner disqualified and appointed or did attempt to appoint W. J. Biggy as elisor.

It is then alleged that Judge Dunne then issued another bench warrant, this time against Biggy for the purpose of having him locate and arrest Ruef.

The next allegations are as follows:

BIGGY'S OATH.

"That your petitioner is advised and believed the fact to be that the said W. J. Biggy did never take the oath of office as such alleged elisor and has never filed a bond to perform the duties of such alleged elisor, that Biggy caused Ruef's arrest to be made, that application for a writ of prohibition preventing the arrest was denied, and that in a similar application to the Supreme Court the application was also denied the court holding that the proceedings in error did not stay the prosecution of the case under the indictments.

The petitioner further shows that Judge Dunne held that the issuance of a writ of habeas corpus was in the discretion of the court and that he would exercise his discretion against the defendant that the case was continued and that on the 18th of March Ruef was ordered into the custody of Biggy pending the trial without any evidence being introduced on the affidavits being made as a basis thereof and without setting aside or modifying the order before referred to admitting the defendant to bail.

Since that proceeding, it is alleged that the court has refused to permit the petitioner to give bail.

The continuance of the case during the pendency of the application on behalf of Ruef to the Supreme Court of the United States and its subsequent dismissal at the request of Ruef are then referred to and it is admitted that the dismissal was advised by counsel for Ruef though nothing is said as the grounds upon which the dismissal is based.

AGE AND BUSINESS

Ruef declares he is about 42 years of age that he has lived in San Francisco all his life and prior to 1906 resided with his father and mother and sisters in his own home. He avers that he is engaged in the construction of several buildings on property of his own that he has been practicing law for the past twenty years and that he has a large number of clients who have unfinished business in his hands and that their business and rights will be prejudiced by his inability to attend to their affairs.

CORPS OF GUARDS

He refers to his detention under the elisor and the supervision of from five to seven guards employed as he believes by W. J. Biggy Rudolf Spreckels, Francis J. Heney and W. J. Burns.

The indictments against him, he declares have resulted by reason of the efforts of Rudolf Spreckels, Francis J. Heney and W. J. Burns.

Heney, he alleges, was appointed assistant district attorney for the sole purpose of prosecuting and persecuting your petitioner his friends and associates that the said Francis J. Heney is and has been for some time past a personal enemy of your petitioner.

POLITICAL ENEMIES

"That your petitioner has been largely engaged in politics in San Francisco that the said Rudolf Spreckels has been politically opposed to your petitioner that Frank H. Dunne the judge presiding over department 6 of the superior court has been a political enemy of your petitioner.

"That your petitioner is advised that prior to the said Francis J. Heney entering upon the performance of his duties as assistant district attorney he was assured by the said Rudolf Spreckels as was also the said W. J. Langdon that said Rudolf Spreckels would guarantee a fund of at least one hundred thousand dollars (\$100,000) for the prosecution of your petitioner, his friends and associates that said fact was generally published in the press of the city and county of San Francisco and the said William H. Langdon caused a letter to be published prior to the indictment of your petitioner that he had been guaranteed this financial aid by the said Rudolf Spreckels.

INCOMMUNICADO

"That after the incarceration of your petitioner at the St. Francis Hotel as aforesaid and up to and including the 25th day of March 1907 orders had been given to the said W. J. Biggy that your petitioner should not be permitted to speak to any one on the telephone or to call any one on the telephone, except his attorneys or family, and that he should not be permitted to see and he was said W. J. Biggy up to the 25th day of March 1907 that all of said persons were refused access to your petitioner and your petitioner was refused permission to see them with the exception of the office boy of your petitioner to wit, one Charles Magarity, except on one or two occasions he did permit said O'Connor and said West and said Goldstein to visit petitioner and then prevented further visits.

That during all of the time when your petitioner was so incarcerated at said St. Francis Hotel it was impossible for him to properly consult with his attorneys for the following reasons: That the said W. J. Biggy would not permit your petitioner and his attorneys to be alone, that he would not permit them to converse in ordinary tones for the reason that guards were placed in such position that every word spoken in an ordinary tone between your petitioner and his attorneys could be heard by said guards, that it was absolutely necessary for your petitioner and his attorneys at all times from the date of his incarceration by said

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DUNNE'S REFUSALS.

The petition then recites the refusal of Judge Dunne to grant any relief along the lines referred to and shows that the calling of friends and business associates upon him was left at the discretion of the elisor.

It also sets forth that the elisor refused to permit an employee of Ruef named Richard O'Connor as also Officer Bunker to see him, and asserts that Biggy is

acting under the direction of Rudolf Spreckels Francis J. Heney and W. J. Burns the last mentioned of whom is not a citizen of California but a private detective whom Heney has imported for the purpose of aiding in the prosecution and persecution of the petitioner.

It is alleged that Ruef is not kept at the expense of the city and county of San Francisco but at the private expense of Rudolf Spreckels and others contributing to a fund raised for that purpose, that the guards about him are armed and under orders of Biggy and that Ruef is being held in practically solitary confinement, that he is being punished, imprisoned and humiliated and that he cannot prepare for his trial, which will last over one month.

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POPULAR MAN IS PROMOTED TEACH CHILD TO ACT ALONE

Peter J. Lynch Appointed Assistant General Superintendent of Telephone Co.

Peter J. Lynch, prominently known in this city, is now assistant general superintendent of the Pacific States Telephone and Telegraph Company, having been promoted from the position of division manager, which he so ably filled. Mr. Lynch's promotion is a popular one as he was well liked in this city. Although they regret his departure from a sphere of activity in this city, his many friends wish Mr. Lynch the same deserved success in his new field as he had in Oakland. Mr. Lynch's ability as an organizer and executive officer led to his appointment as assistant general superintendent. The progress of the Oakland division has been due to the untiring efforts of Mr. Lynch and he has instituted many reforms and improvements. In less than two years Mr. Lynch has practically reorganized the entire system here providing better equipment and better service. John Kearns is to take the position vacated by Mr. Lynch. Mr. Kearns comes to the city well recommended and will fill the place left by Mr. Lynch in the best possible manner. Mr. Lynch will hereafter be located in San Francisco where he will assume his new duties at once.

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Grand Jury Racks Assistant General Manager of the Pacific States Telephone Company.

GALLAGHER'S CHAFFEUR WASBURNS' DETECTIVE

When Supervisor James G. Gallagher (\$26,250) was dashing about San Francisco last winter in his red automobile, the quiet, unassuming young mahout at the wheel was none other than a disguised detective in the employ of William J. Burns. When Gallagher went to Ruef's office to get the boodle money for the other Supervisors, when he secretly sped to the home of Mayor Schmitz to arrange upon franchise programs, when he went to the bank to deposit his own share of the bribe money, his mahout was always with him in the automobile.

SAN FRANCISCO, April 2.—Until they have brought other witnesses from Los Angeles it is not likely that the prosecution of the graft cases in connection with the sack alleged to have been sent up from Los Angeles in the interests of the Home Telephone Company will do much more in accomplishing their task of completely enmeshing the directors of the company. Assistant District Attorney Hensley expected much from the testimony of Edwin T. Earl of Los Angeles, the rector and large stockholder in the Western Trust Company, a corporation which underwrote the bonds of that telephone company.

POLICE WILL ASK INCREASE

San Francisco Patrolmen Are to Seek More Pay From City.

SAN FRANCISCO, April 2.—Five hundred patrolmen of the San Francisco police department will meet in the hall of justice at 420 this afternoon to form a patrolmen's union, for the purpose of presenting a demand for a twenty per cent increase of wages. Patrolmen who have done nothing more than stand on an idle corner will be among the 400 who will meet to determine the presenting of the demand. Patrolmen who have been repeatedly on the verge of being discharged for neglecting duties and incompetency will also be there, as will the proverbial lamp post waiver. In fact, they will all be there the worthy and unworthy together to share in the 'pie, if such a pie be presented. Of course the patrolmen will not be able to strike should their demands be refused but would be compelled to quit individually as their going out in a body would be considered conspiracy and the offenders would be liable to the law.

SODERBERG IN COURT FOR KILLING MOTHER

Erland H. Soderberg confessed murderer of his mother was taken to Justice Smith's department of the police court this morning for his preliminary examination on the charge of murder. The man was not represented by counsel and sat stolidly through the taking of questions, declining when asked to answer any of the witnesses in his own behalf. It is expected that Soderberg will rely upon his insanity as a plea later in the case. He is a man who has been in the hospital for his confession of his crime which was testified to by detectives today, the man while he was intoxicated. The murder was one of the most brutal in the history of Oakland crimes and was committed on March 23.

Bobby Burns

has bobbed up again and this time wants to know 'the difference between a vegetarian and a vegetarian. Well in China, for example, there isn't any difference. In that country, where the natives are much married to the soil, a vegetarian is a man who roots for his native clime, and would probably climb to his knees if they grew on trees. An Oakland vegetarian is a man who subsists on roots and other products of the soil but eats no meat. You'll have to come again, Bobby. Meet me at Lehnhardt's and have a root beer on the house.

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Grand Jury, Assisted by Prosecutors, Will Go to the Limit After Alleged Grafters.

SAN FRANCISCO, April 2.—In far greater amounts than is said to have been realized by the supervisors some of the people close to the Board of Public Works are credited to have practiced the prevailing fashion in graft. Some evidence has been secured for the grand jury and more is on tap when they get ready to turn the light of inquiry on the walks which lead up to their lair of all things great in graft, which many believe will be found within a short radius of the headquarters of the man whom George F. Duffy says are beyond reproach. Graft admits of larger possibilities in connection with the Board of Works for the reason that the ramifications are more extensive. The grand jury investigation will consist first in the preliminary examination of affairs by a special committee.

GO THE LIMIT. They will dip into all departments from the granting of theater and building licenses and especially of the

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FINDS MAN GUILTY; JUDGE SCORES COUNSEL

Edward Bernardson was found guilty of battery this morning, upon the complaint of his wife, in the Police Court, and will be sentenced tomorrow morning by Judge Smith. A feature of the case was the severe reprimand made by a lawyer who was defending the accused and whose examination of the prosecuting witnesses was not deemed proper.

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MAYOR MOTT SENDS MESSAGE TO COUNCIL

URGES THAT NEW CHARTER BE FRAMED; PLANS FOR MUNICIPAL IMPROVEMENT

Water Front Question to Be Investigated in Conjunction With the Citizens, Business Men and Commercial Bodies of Oakland

Mayor Mott was heartily received last night by members of the City Council and those in the lobby, when conducted to the Council Chamber and was introduced by President Elliott. He immediately proceeded to read his inaugural address. He read it clearly, distinctly and it was listened to attentively, the Councilmen apparently weighing the points advanced by the Mayor in his recommendations for the advancement and improvement of the growing and enterprising city of which he is the head and the Councilman body the lawmaking organization.

Mayor Mott's message was as follows: To the Honorable the City Council of the City of Oakland—Gentlemen: Peace and prosperity in abundant form prevail throughout our city. A beneficent providence has spared us from calamitous disaster and impoverishing inactivity.

The city's growth in every phase of her life continues at a rate unapproached in her history. Our population has increased so extensively and industrial development reached such proportions that to assure the city's future and install us in the front rank of American municipalities.

Our people are prosperous and happy. Wages for all forms of labor are maintained at the highest rate. Bankruptcies are few and far between. The record of increase of building operations during the last twelve months far outstrips any western city.

Real estate values have risen steadily and are conservatively maintained. A new civic spirit predominates and characterizes the city's life, and is reflected in the enthusiastic co-operation of the people in all public undertakings. In short, the city is in the most center and prosperous state, and it is with much and pardonable pride that I refer even so briefly to the splendid conditions that have obtained. We must not, however, forget the important duties which we are charged with great responsibilities and important duties now devolve upon us.

The reins of government are now placed in our hands and the people look to us to guide the municipality wisely and safely, that we may continue on the high road to prosperity and our growth and development be not retarded.

Efficient and honest administration of public affairs is an all important factor in the city's progress. Today we have assumed an important trust and the welfare and future of our city depends largely upon the manner in which we administer that trust.

Entirely New Charter Proposed By Mayor

As is well known, the present charter was adopted on November 6, 1888, and was sufficient for the needs of the city at that time. Since then the city has grown to a far larger size, thereby necessitating an increase in all of the departments, and they naturally require a more comprehensive management and control. Quite recently we adopted several amendments to the present charter, which were very necessary, and as to the objects to which they pertain, will answer for the time being. Under a constitutional amendment adopted by the people at the last general election, officers are now empowered to substitute new charters, and inasmuch as our city charter needs revision in so many particulars to bring it up to date and make it serviceable for the future, I deem it my duty to propose a new charter for the city of Oakland, an election to be called for the choosing of freeholders for the purpose of framing a new charter for our city.

Many of the ordinances now on the books are obsolete, while others are so poorly drafted as to make their meaning very indefinite, and in other places several ordinances are similar subjects seem to conflict with each other. It seems to me that the person recently employed to modify the ordinances in accordance with Section 26 of the charter should be given the opportunity to prepare a report to the city attorney before any ordinance is passed to print that it is in legal form and free from ambiguities.

PUBLIC BUILDINGS. The time has certainly arrived when the city must provide better facilities for the transaction of the public business, as the present city hall is not only unsafe but totally inadequate for this purpose. With the present growth and standing of our city, it is a matter of serious reflection upon us. It is, however, probably just as well nothing has been done up to this time for the erection of a suitable building, as we will not be able to erect a structure that will fully accommodate the present and future city. The public buildings, such as they are, are wooden and of antiquated construction and in some cases totally unsuited for the requirements. This applies particularly to the Health and Engineering departments. In the former there are maintained chemical and bacteriological laboratories, with their apparatus and supplies, that have cost the city a great deal of money, and in the Engineering department there are many records and maps of inestimable value which are being kept in the building to take fire. All the departments that are housed in the city hall are cramped for room, particularly the Board of Public Works, Auditor's Office, and the various departments, with which the public transacts most of its business.

CITY PRISON. The city prison is located in the basement of the city hall and is totally inadequate for present needs. In fact a new city prison is an absolute and immediate necessity. At the present time we have in one building, which is a combination of a city hall, a city prison and a city court house, a crowded condition is breaking all sanitary rules and the danger of epidemic from disease is ever present. We have a prison for the segregation of prisoners and young and first-termers must be confined with the old and vicious criminals, thereby killing the moral nature and making their degradation the more complete.

New Buildings Are Needed By Oakland

My judgment is that the entire police business, including the jail, police courts and the officers of the department, should be housed in one building, and that we erect two buildings—a hall of justice to accommodate the police department, etc. and another building for the housing of the city hall.

The present location of the municipal buildings is owned by the municipality and can be made available for the erection of new buildings. A matter that pertains to this subject is the proposition of the opening of Washington street, which of course must be taken into consideration in the erection of new buildings. The greatly increased traffic that centers at Fourteenth and Broadway congests that thoroughfare to the danger point and it seems to be imperatively necessary that we make a new outlet from the business section by way of Washington street and San Pablo avenue. Effort has been made in the past year to arrange for the opening of this street, but it has not been accomplished, but with the new street opening act we can proceed without delay. I have given this matter much careful thought and consideration, and I have finally concluded that the better and more feasible way would be to open up Washington street through the city's property and place the hall of justice at the corner of Washington and Broadway, and the city hall at the corner of Washington and San Pablo avenue. I am informed by architects and builders that very attractive and suitable structures can be erected on this property. I would therefore recommend that street opening proceedings be started and that early steps be taken toward the submission to the people of a proposition to open up Washington street through the city's property and place the hall of justice at the corner of Washington and Broadway, and the city hall at the corner of Washington and San Pablo avenue.

WATER FRONT. In addition to the decision of the Supreme Court of the State and the United States Circuit Court of Appeals has recently rendered a decision in reference to the water front in the litigation between the railroad companies, which is of great interest to this city and its citizens.

I am of the opinion that the effect of the federal decision is that notwithstanding the promise of 1888, the right and control of wharfing out to actually navigable water is held to have reverted to the city and to be now vested in the city of Oakland. The decision states that the result as having followed after the expiration of the 30-year lease of the Carpenter, the 37 years having expired in 1889.

Out of this decision arises the practical and important question of the control and development of the water front into actual use. Primarily that development, other things being equal, should be given to the city of Oakland, and carried forward by the city. On the other hand, the question of finances, the cost of proper and permanent development, the raising of the revenues necessary for that purpose, and the speed with which the city should be able to raise questions of great importance and not free from difficulty. Should the city undertake the work, the necessary amount of money, it would seem, could not be raised so as to carry on the work promptly without a bond issue for that purpose. On the other hand, the city should be able to lend its credit to the city of Oakland, as it has already twice done in the case of San Francisco, the revenues required could be speedily raised and the work developed and completed promptly without the additional taxes of a bond issue on the part of the city of Oakland. Inasmuch as the matter of this harbor is of great concern to the State, and to the commerce of the Pacific Ocean, as well as to the coastwise trade, there is no good reason why the State should not aid in this important improvement so wide-spread in its usefulness and effect. In the event of the State lending its credit here, as it has in San Francisco, it does not follow that the actual and operative control of the development of the water front should pass out of the hands of the residents or officers of the city of Oakland, and into the hands of others.

In view of these two phases of the subject, I earnestly request your honorable body, together with our citizens, business men and commercial bodies, to give the entire subject their investigation and thought in order that the city as a community municipality may be in a position, when the next Legislature meets, to have a course

outlined which shall be the best for the city and for the prompt and permanent improvement and development of our water front.

Oakland's Waterfront and its Great Value

The question of the proper disposal of the city's garbage has disturbed our people for a great many years and while attempts have been made to solve it, up to the present time they have failed. The city's garbage, which confers upon the municipality the power of owning and operating a garbage destructor and I suggest that this be one of the first subjects to be taken up. Some years ago the city entered into a contract with a local company for the gathering and incineration of the city's garbage, but for various reasons that are well known, the experiment has not been a success. Efforts have been made in the past two years to modify the contract in order that we might get better results. Very little improvement resulted. Since that time we have destroyed the incinerating plant and today this company, still holding the contract, is dumping the garbage on the low lands about the city, which condition, it is unnecessary to say, is unsanitary and unhealthful. We now have the power to construct and operate a garbage plant of our own, and I suggest that this be one of the first subjects to be taken up. From information that I have received, I learn that science has devised methods for the destruction of this matter without odor and which at the same time produce by-products together with a supply of steam power. I would suggest that whatever steps we take should be to secure the most modern, effective and economical system.

SALT WATER SYSTEM. The disaster in San Francisco demonstrated the necessity of providing an auxiliary salt water supply. Fortunately our city has a large body of water at that time but nevertheless we should be able to build a system to install a salt water fire system. A preliminary appropriation has already been made of \$27,000, with which to commence the installation of such a system, and the Board of Public Works is now about to conclude the selection of a suitable site and the awarding of a contract for the construction of a pumping plant and such pipe as the appropriation will permit. I most earnestly recommend that in the next appropriation additional money be appropriated for the completion of this system. These appropriations can be made from time to time from the revenues and within a short while we will have our city completely piped. In addition to the fire protection it will afford, we will have the use of salt water for sprinkling and flushing purposes, which will be a large item of economy.

Street Improvements Are Needed in City

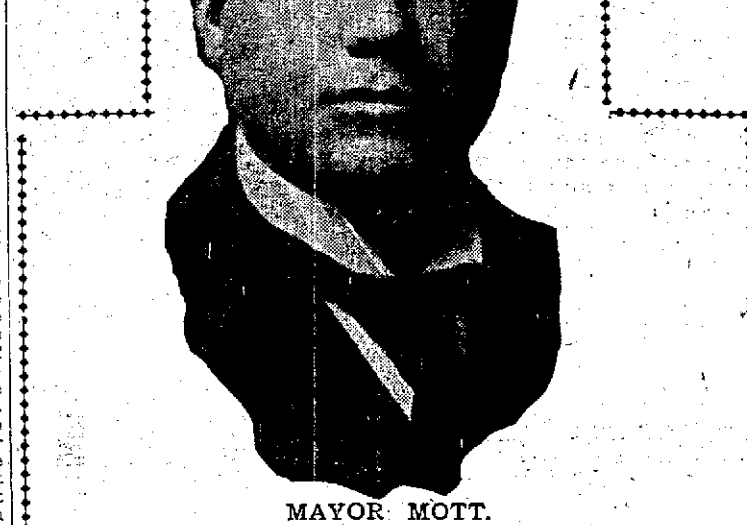
In my message to the Council in 1905, I used the following words: "The care of the streets imposes a paramount duty on the municipal administration. It is as necessary as the care of the city's property, and as an attractive feature in the appearance of the city. For sanitary as well as aesthetic reasons the streets should be kept clean and the gutters clear of refuse and foul odors."

"Considerations of health and decency combined with self-interest in the care of the highways be kept in thorough repair. Good streets are a large item in civic economy. They facilitate traffic and effect a considerable saving in the wear and tear of vehicles. Aside from this, good streets stimulate property values and in many cases tend to increase the value of adjacent property. Consequently the interests of the property owner and the business man are a unit in favor of street improvement. Moreover, nothing speaks so well for a city as clean, well-paved streets, which cannot escape the notice of even the transient wayfarer. They tell a convincing story of civic pride, efficient government and public enterprise. Stagnation and misgovernment are never looked for where the pavements are without flaw and free from dust and dirt, and where the gutters are clear of rubbish and noxious exhalations."

These words are as potent today as they were then and I again urge their full consideration. Much thought and effort has been devoted to our streets. The system of cleaning and repairing inaugurated some year and a half ago has produced much better results than were formerly obtained. Many of the old macadamized streets have been replaced by concrete, and the city is in a better condition, while the gutters have been cleaned throughout the entire city not less than four times during the year and in some sections as often as seven or eight times.

On the other hand, the rapid deterioration appears to result from the excavations that are necessary to be made after the street has been paved. This subject has received much attention from the past administration and ordinance was passed providing for more strict regulations. While some good has resulted, still we have not succeeded in compelling the various individuals and corporations who have reason to open the streets to properly replace the pavement. It is still of the opinion, as I was some time ago, that the city should refill all excavations and I again urge that steps be taken to at least make a trial of this system. The rapid growth of our city within the past two years has caused an enormous amount of excavating in our streets. It is estimated that not less than 20,000 excavations are made yearly, so it is apparent that the damage done to our streets from this cause alone is very serious.

SEWER PLAN. I feel confident that if we can devise a plan whereby the city can refill excavations that we will have made a great advance towards keeping our



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streets in better order. The increase of our population has also necessarily increased traffic, particularly on the main thoroughfares and in the vicinity of the business center. The old macadam that was formerly considered to be good enough, is, in this day, resented to withstand the heavy usage. Some progress has been made in the past two years toward repaving some of these thoroughfares with asphalt. My judgment is that all of the main thoroughfares extending east, west and north, north of Seventh street should be paved with asphalt. Many of these streets were macadamized twenty or thirty years ago and they have served their purpose and are now practically worn out. The great enhancement of property values should induce the owners to consent to a better and more permanent pavement. In the district south of Seventh street, great portions of which are devoted to manufacturing and extremely heavy use, we should provide a pavement of basal block, as the experience of all municipalities tends to prove that this pavement is the only kind suited to such usage. Our city has reached a point in her growth where she should be able to build a permanent and substantially and I feel certain that the demand now being made so strongly upon us should be met with immediate action by your honorable body toward carrying out these necessary improvements.

OVERHEAD WIRES. About a year and a half ago the city passed an ordinance defining certain districts wherein all wires must be placed underground. This territory embraces a portion of the business section of the city and it seems that the wires have already been laid and in a few months all wires in this district will have been taken down. Additional districts should be added from time to time as necessity demands. Sufficient funds should be appropriated to be given for the various companies to undertake and complete the work. Several of the corporations are voluntarily placing their wires underground, but there still remains a great many wires that are strung across the streets and they are a disgrace and a menace but a disgracement and the time has come when we must keep pace with all advanced cities in this respect.

SEWERS. I am pleased to announce that some time ago the city authorized the issuance of \$358,500 for the extension and rehabilitation of the sewer system. This money is to be applied to the construction of intercepting, outlet and storm sewers and practically covers every section of the city. Most of these contracts have already been let, while the balance will soon be awarded. These sewers will be constructed in a most substantial and permanent manner and will add greatly to the sanitary condition of our city, at the same time protecting property from injury by storm waters.

Public Parks Needed; Also Better Lighting

The preceding administration devoted considerable attention to the matter of park improvement and made substantial progress. Many of the squares owned by the city have been laid out in a more attractive manner and have been supplied with shrubs and flowering plants, all of which has added much to their attractiveness and reflects credit upon our city.

Some months ago the people very generously voted \$92,000 for the purchase of additional park lands. We are now arranging for the sale of these lands and within a very short while we will have a large body of land in the city. Their improvement is very essential and provisions must be made in the apportionment of funds for the commencement of this work. Some of these lands are already in a cultivated state and will not require much to be done, while others will need considerable attention. We cannot hope to complete the work at once, but I trust that before the summer passes we will have made substantial improvements. With the completion of the purchase of these lands we will control most of the frontage bordering the lake, which, of course, is the city's park center. Included in this purchase is the balance of the Twelfth street dam, which today presents an unsightly and offensive appearance. The lake is badly shoaled and it needs to be dredged. I would therefore recommend that at the beginning of the next fiscal year steps be taken to secure an appropriation and the Board of Public Works author-

ized to dredge the lake and cause the debris to be deposited on this marsh land south of the dam, which in a few years can be transformed into an additional park site.

In addition to the lands to be purchased by the issuance of bonds a number of pieces of the city itself has been acquired by purchase outright from the ordinary revenues. These lands are adjacent to the lake and should be included in the scheme of development and improvement.

No city of my acquaintance offers greater facility for adornment in this respect than does ours and our people have recently indicated very significantly that they desire these improvements to be made and it therefore behooves us to spare no effort to place them in proper order and at the disposal of the people at the earliest possible moment.

STREET LIGHTS. The unsatisfactory lighting of our business streets received the attention of the preceding administration and the present method of lighting is superior to the arc lamps which were formerly used. This system will not doubt be extended so as to embrace the streets within the entire business section.

In other parts of the city, light is furnished wholly by means of an arc lamp suspended from a wooden pole. It occurs to me that this is not the most effective way of lighting, especially in the residential sections, as in many cases the light is obstructed by the foliage of the trees. As is well known, the lamp is suspended from an arm fastened to a pole and is usually hung at a height where the foliage of the trees is thickest, consequently the light does not penetrate and is not diffused over as large a section as it might or should be. Many municipalities have adopted the gas lamp, with a Weisbach burner, for the lighting of these sections and it seems that we should adopt this system. My judgment is that for about the same cost we could place about three gas lamps on each block, which would be more satisfactory to the property owners than the present method of giving a light beneath the foliage of the trees but at the same time be more ornamental than the arc lamp suspended from the pole and I would therefore recommend that before awarding the next contract we obtain estimates from the gas company as to what the difference in cost will be if in those sections of the city devoted to manufacturing, where shade trees are not planted, the arc lamp serves its purpose and need not be changed.

FIRE DEPARTMENT. The growth of population, together with the increase in manufacturing and business establishments, requires attention to be given to the necessary increase of the fire department. While in the past our city has been very fortunate in not having serious fires, at the same time the fire department in different sections of the city about the same time we would find ourselves seriously crippled.

At the present time we are constructing an engine house on Magnolia street, near Fourteenth street, when finished, will of course be equipped with suitable apparatus. It seems to me that we should immediately arrange for another powerful engine and equipment in the vicinity of the manufacturing district. A company could also be located in the vicinity of Twenty-sixth and Broadway and the Piedmont district should have a third engine and equipment. East Oakland should also be provided with an engine and hose company. We should endeavor to make these additions as soon as funds are available, first, however, providing for an engine in the lower part of the city.

Police Department In Need of Improvements

While we have had a substantial increase in the police department during the past year, it was absolutely needed, as our population has vastly increased and consequently a great deal more work has devolved upon the department. The business section, including the manufacturing district along the water front, has been greatly enlarged and it requires many more men to efficiently patrol and protect these interests. In the day time the department is enabled to have but two men in all the territory east of the lake, and one or two come on duty at noon. In the second ward there are but two men in the day time. During the vacation season it will be necessary to have at least six men off at a time to permit all to take vacations. At the present time it is not possible to keep men on duty at headquarters for emergency calls, and it frequently happens that the department has to wait for considerable periods of time for men to go on important cases. It seems to me that we should provide in the next appropriation for an increase of at least twenty-five patrolmen,

STREET IMPROVEMENTS ARE NEEDED; MORE LIGHTS, TOO

Public Parks Are Desired, Police Department Is in Want of Better Service to Capture Criminals

which would bring the entire number up to nearly 150 men. I know of no municipality of the size of our city that is doing as well as we are, and it seems remarkable, considering we are a seaport city, that as good order is maintained with the small force of police.

The necessity of properly equipped police stations is becoming more and more apparent. Land should be purchased in East, West and North Oakland and police stations, with officers in charge, should be established. These stations should contain lockers for the men, cells for the temporary detention of persons arrested and be the police centers of the district in which they are located. Many times when crime is committed in the outlying districts it can be more promptly handled when there is a station located in the immediate vicinity of the crime. At present the officers in the outside districts have no place to keep their uniforms, and must either go to and from their beats in uniform or else depend upon the kindness of persons living on their beats for a place in which to change their clothing and keep overcoats, raincoats, heavy shoes, etc. By reporting on at a station instead of at boxes, superior officers can see in what condition they are properly equipped with instruments of police duty.

One of the most necessary and important adjuncts to a police department is a properly equipped and efficient management bureau of identification. The older such a bureau becomes the greater is its value to the community, being more feared by those who may have come into the scope of the investigation. Known criminals are a migratory class and go to places where they are the least known to engage in their evil calling. In this city we are using the same antiquated methods for the identification of prisoners as was used at the organization of the police department. We need the Bertillon system of measurements, supplemented here and there by the use of the fingerprint system, installed in the police station.

These betterments, together with the improved thoroughfares suggested under the head of "Streets" will certainly make our city a most attractive place. Every municipality with any pretensions to the name of a city should have thought and money toward similar projects. Our natural advantages, together with climatic conditions, will enable us to perform this work with comparatively little cost.

SCHOOL DEPARTMENT. One of the most important branches of a municipality is a well-equipped and maintained school department. Our city has long been noted for the high standard of the school department in this branch of the public service. Some time ago the people authorized an expenditure of over a million dollars for the erection of new buildings. These are now in course of construction and will, when completed, be an advance of the times with regard to modern school buildings. Their completion will be timely because our population is growing so rapidly that already they promise to be overcrowded and without doubt will have to be arranged for additional buildings in the near future.

Much to the credit of the department and our city there is maintained a manual training or commercial high school. This school is one of the most useful in that it equips young men and women for active work upon their graduation. The only regrettable thing is that it is not properly housed and equipped. It will therefore be necessary very soon to provide the erection of a modern and suitable structure in which to carry on in a more extensive form the work of this school.

Corporation Yard and Department Equipment

As is well known, most of the revenue for the maintenance of the grammar and primary schools is received from the State and county. The city supplied some \$35,000 this year for the deficiency. The school funds seem to be sufficient for the maintenance of these schools for the balance of the fiscal year. In the High School fund there appears to be a deficit of \$45,000, and will be necessary for your honorable body to arrange a transfer before the end of this fiscal year.

The increase of living throughout the country is of course manifested in our city and among the teachers of the school teachers for additional salary should receive favorable consideration. I believe that we should endeavor to secure the best teachers and should pay them fair and liberal salaries, especially when we bear in mind the fact that the teachers have the care and training of the youth of our city.

In the consideration of all public works we should keep in mind the fact that the city is growing and such proportions in her growth and development that whatever we do should be done with the idea of substantiality and permanency. The day of makeshift is past and the city should take a foremost place in whatever she does, whether it is street or park improvement or the erection of public buildings. We should keep in mind that we are building not only for the present day but for future generations.

money than, should be necessary to conduct some of the departments. One of the first steps that should be taken is the purchase of a suitable corporation yard and the erection thereon of a building for the storage of city property and also buildings for the stabling of the city's horses. At the present time we are paying out large sums of money for the care of horses and vehicles used by the Street and Health Departments and in many instances they are not receiving proper care.

Another item of wastefulness is the manner of securing election supplies. At the present time we are obliged to rent the furniture and tents for the holding of these elections. I am of the opinion that the city has spent enough in elections held during the past year to have purchased twice over the supplies that we use in this respect. If we had a suitable store-house, under the care of a competent storekeeper, we could buy outright the city's supplies and have them properly stored. We should, as soon as possible, arrange to purchase more apparatus for the use of the Street Department. For years the city has been renting carts and horses, which in the long run makes the cost a great deal more. This is unbusinesslike and wasteful.

Another item of large expense is the matter of the repair of the city's property. As it is today, the city has to take what she can get and in many cases they are antiquated and out-of-date, wasting about as much water as they sprinkle. We should be equipped during the next year with "sprinklers" and have judgment they should be owned by the municipality and kept in proper repair and order. In this respect also, the city has been in the habit of hiring the teams and drivers many times over the year. The horses are so old and worn out that they cannot cover as much ground as they should, thereby causing a loss of both time and money. Some improvement has been made along these lines during the past two years by the purchase of some dump wagons and equipment for the Street Department, but as soon as funds are available we should aim to equip all the departments with the proper apparatus and at the same time arrange to properly care for it so that the public business may be transacted at the least possible cost.

FINANCIAL MATTER. The Auditor's statement of finances indicates that the necessarily increased expenditures during the past year, particularly in the Police and Street Departments, leaves a deficit of \$45,000. In the balance of the fiscal year, it will therefore be necessary to curtail expenditures as closely as possible, and to make every effort to do in the way of preparation for the new fiscal year, with increased expenditures. The Auditor's statement indicates that the last twelve months. The revenues of the city have not increased with our growth, but we feel confident, with the new method of assessing property for revenue purposes, that we will have sufficient funds to conduct all the departments of the city in a creditable manner and have a surplus to devote to the wayward improvements and betterments.

CONCLUSION. In concluding this message I am conscious that many matters have not been adequately mentioned. These matters, however, are of such a nature that their attention, arises. It is my desire to maintain very close relations with your honorable body and to have the most hearty and sincere co-operation between every employee and officer of the city in the discharge of all public duties. Every officer and employee of the City Government is charged with a responsibility to the people and to the community, for we are the servants of the people and by our acts they are benefited or burdened as the case may be. Let us, therefore, endeavor to do our duty to the best of our ability, with the utmost zeal and untiring effort. Give to our city the best that we have, and I have no doubt that the city which awaits our attention. Let us strive to accomplish it. Heavy expenditures of the kind mentioned are necessary for the improvement of the city, and it is my duty to call attention to them, but they should also exist the most hearty and sincere co-operation between every employee and officer of the city in the discharge of all public duties.

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FRANK K. MOTT, Mayor.

At the conclusion of the address enthusiastic applause was given, and Councilman Pendleton said that as the message contained matters of great importance, he would move that the present appointing committee covering these matters, and these committees should be continued until the next election. The motion was then referred to the committee on the whole.

DON'T BE MISLED.

We desire to call the attention of our readers to the fact that a few druggists in this locality, on account of cut prices on drugs, have adopted the practice of trying to sell something else when a well known preparation of established reputation is called for.

For example, when you ask for Dr. Kilmer's Swamp-Root, the great Kidney, Liver and Bladder Remedy, don't allow any druggist or drug clerk to persuade you into buying something else in its place. Every time he succeeds in selling you a worthless substitute he makes more profit, but you are humbugged at the expense of your health.

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Dangers of a Railroad Strike.

A general strike on the railroads would be the most disastrous thing for the country at large that could happen. A general tie-up of the transportation system would inevitably paralyze trade and industry and bring on financial contraction. These three constitute the elements of a panic, and when a panic occurs the first and heaviest sufferers are the laborers. When the wheels of transportation stop the wheels of production stop also, and vast numbers of wage workers are thrown out of employment. In the competition for jobs that ensues, wages are forced down to the lowest point, and labor unions are powerless to arrest the decline. This was abundantly illustrated during the depression which prevailed from 1893 to 1897. Hence the railway workers are pulling at the pillars of prosperity when they suggest a strike that will bring business all over the country to a sudden standstill.

There was some depression on the Pacific Coast in 1893, but on the whole this section of the Union was fairly busy and prosperous till the strike on the transcontinental roads in 1894 paralyzed overland traffic and caused a general suspension of industrial operations. Then the panic was brought to our doors with terrible suddenness. Vast quantities of fresh fruit rotted in the orchards because there was no way of shipping it East. When the roads were finally opened the depressed markets were glutted to such an extent that shippers suffered worse than the fruit-growers who let their crops perish without picking. Thousands of farmers were ruined and farm values depreciated to such an extent as to bring impoverishment to the entire agricultural industry.

Prosperity reigns all over the United States at present, but the continuance of prosperity is dependent on transportation. Lack of facilities has clogged business activity somewhat during the last twelve months, but let the railroads be tied up for a week and millions of idle men will be walking the streets in search of employment. No intelligent person need be told what the general consequences would be. The business contraction would be immediate and universal, and the masses dependent upon their daily toil for a livelihood would at once be on the verge of want by reason of lack of employment and a depressed wage scale. It is true that the railroads would lose vast sums and that many of them would go into the hands of receivers, but that would not compensate labor for its sufferings and loss of time.

Professor Burghardt du Bois, the head of a Negro college in Atlanta, says crossing the white and black races creates the flower of genius. He cites the elder Dumas, the poet Browning and Alexander Hamilton as conspicuous examples of the correctness of his theory. He will have considerable trouble in proving that either Alexander Hamilton or Browning had a strain of Negro blood. Dumas was undoubtedly an octroon, and showed his African ancestry quite markedly. Hamilton was born out of wedlock, but his mother, though a creole, was of pure European extraction. Professor du Bois is himself a mulatto, and a man of no inconsiderable talent and literary gifts—he should have cited himself as an example instead of taking cases of more than a doubtful authenticity. Whether his theory be true or false it is not likely to become popular.

Oakland keeps on growing, as the thousands of new houses being erected testify. A growing town is the place to locate for business. Consult the real estate advertisements of THE TRIBUNE for bargains.

Chicago is to be saved from ruin in the municipal election. Both sides are going to save it, and both sides say they are going to win. So the city cannot lose.

It rained four days out of five during March, but that has not deterred April from doing her usual shower stunts.

The clerk of the weather seems to have taken a hand in the street sprinkling game. He plays no favorites.

Constitutionality of State Division.

Discussing the constitutionality of State division is a waste of time. States have before now been divided by consent of their inhabitants, and Virginia was dismembered as a military and political necessity. It is safe to say, however, that no State will again be dismembered, nor will Congress ever sanction division unless it is in accordance with the expressed wish of the majority of the inhabitants of the whole State it is proposed to divide. Counting Oklahoma the Union now embraces forty-six States. The admission of Arizona and New Mexico will bring the total up to forty-eight. The Congress in both branches is becoming unwieldy, and there is a growing sentiment against creating new States. This sentiment, which manifested itself in the recent contest over the admission of Arizona as a separate State, is particularly strong in New England, which is losing power as a political division in consequence of the increase of population elsewhere and the admission of new States. The great States like New York, Pennsylvania, Ohio and Illinois also object to making more new States because it minimizes their power to influence legislation. In consequence sentiment in the East as well as in California major is opposed to letting California minor set up as a separate commonwealth. The constitutional side of the question is not worth debating. It is not an issue.

PIONEERS IN SOUTHERN CALIFORNIA'S DEVELOPMENT

EDITOR TRIBUNE: The recent demise of Joseph D. Lynch has given rise to some errors in the early history of Southern California journalism which those at present engaged in the business of newspaper-making in that section of the State are perhaps excusable for committing. Lynch was a capable and prolific writer and did much during his journalistic career to draw attention to the attractions and resources of Southern California. But it is doing grave injustice to some that are living and to others who are dead to say (which has been said) that he was the pioneer in the field, for the foundations of the development which has taken place in that section were broadly laid long before he was a factor in the case. When alleged history is written it should be correctly stated. In saying this there is no intention to detract from Lynch's work.

Before Lynch figured in any sense in Southern California journalism, there were other writers in the field who were active in the missionary work of describing its genial climate, the productiveness of its soil, its manifold resources and its great future possibilities which, in these later days, have become actualities. Major Ben C. Truman, now on the Los Angeles Times editorial staff, Douglas

HOW WOULD YOU LIKE TO BE THE DRESSMAKER?



Gunn, deceased, and John P. Young, now managing editor of the San Francisco Chronicle, both of whom were associated as publishers and editors of the San Diego Union, James A. Johnson of the Santa Barbara Press, Charles Nordhoff and some others were busily engaged in exploiting Southern California's virtues before the Lynch brothers—Joseph D. and Robert—came to the State and began their California newspaper life on the San Diego World, a Democratic daily started by the late Colonel A. C. Hotchkiss and his associates, which never emerged from the obscurity in which it was started. The actual newspaper pioneers in Southern California's wonderfully successful career were Major Truman, Nordhoff, Gunn, Young, Johnson and the old Los Angeles News, published by King, Beane & Waite, on whose wreckage the Los Angeles Times has since been built. If the files of the San Diego Bulletin, the San Diego Union, the Santa Barbara Press and the Los Angeles News of 1871 and 1872, and Nordhoff's book on Southern California, the first edition of which was printed in one of these years, are accessible, their pages will so show conclusively who were the pioneers in exploiting the southern section of the State. Colonel Joseph D. Lynch did not figure until a much later date, after he and the late Colonel J. J. Ayers obtained control of the Los Angeles Express and the Los Angeles Herald, and by that time the Southern Pacific railroad had entered the valleys of the southland and its managers were interested in its development. Tom Scott's Texas-Pacific scheme never matured and he had no hand in the developments which have taken place since. The earlier writers of Southern California—those who antedated Lynch and Ayers by many years as boosters of the southern counties—were accused by those who were not acquainted with Southern California of exaggeration in their descriptive work of that section, but what has taken place there since proves beyond reasonable doubt that they were really conservative and their greatest offense was in looking through eyes of prophecy and living ahead of their times. However, those who are living and those who are dead, who did honest pioneer work in laying the foundations through their writings of the latter day developments, should not suffer the injustice of having their labors ignored and the fruits of what they did credited to those who were not entitled to them, but who simply entered the field years later at a time which proved more opportune to receive a rational hearing.

April 2, 1907.

TALIESIN EVANS.

A CATCH QUESTION.

The civil service examiner was determining the fitness of a score of applicants for the police force. He questioned them in arithmetic, spelling and other standard subjects, and then said he would test their hearing. He took his watch from his pocket and held it to the ear of a tall, handsome young man. "Do you hear that tick?" he said. "Yes, perfectly," the young man answered. He held it a foot from the applicant's ear. "Still hear it?" "Yes, sir." "Now stand back three paces." The young man did so. "Now," said the examiner, "do you hear it from that distance?" The applicant listened intently. Then he smiled and nodded. "I still hear it, sir," he said. "You have the most wonderful hearing I ever came across," said the examiner, enthusiastically. "That watch hasn't been running for three weeks."—Woman's Home Companion.

THE MUSIC OF MAN AND BIRDS.

If the discovery of independent evolutions of human music all tending in the same direction indicates the existence of an ideal standard toward which progress leads, how much stronger is the evidence afforded by the fact that bird music is developing along the same lines! It seems a far cry from a Beethoven symphony of a Wagnerian opera to the simple lay of a sparrow, but as we trace the course of the mighty river of music back toward its source, the stream becomes narrower and narrower, until it is contracted to a point where it is no broader than the little rill of bird music. Nor does the decrease stop there; for, remarkable as it may seem, there was a time when the music from which ours has been evolved was inferior to some of that which floats to our ears from the woods of spring. This is not to say merely that the songs of certain of the birds involve more intervals and greater variety, but that they are of a higher order judged by our own modern standards.—Henry Oldys, in Harper's for April

Pointed Paragraphs

The trouble with after-dinner nominations for President of the United States is that they are so hard to remember the next morning.—Washington Post.

What Attorney-General Bonaparte said was that if States want to bring in immigrants they must keep it dark as other importers do.—Detroit Free Press. Before a new design is adopted for the gold coin, a good many people would like to see what the old one looks like.—Washington Post.

Mr. Harriman says he would build the Panama Canal if he had the chance. But there is no proof that it could be done by the hydraulic system.—St. Louis Globe-Democrat.

Senator Platt says the rumor that he is to follow Spooner's example and resign is a "lie of the worst kind." Oh, surely not of the worst kind, Senator.—Indianapolis Star.

The woman-suffrage measure has been killed in London, and the accounts say that the bill was talked to death. Who says the Briton has no sense of humor?—New York Evening Mail.

In Pittsburgh they are talking of holding an indignation meeting over the wretched traction service. In Philadelphia such meetings are going on all the time in the street cars.—Philadelphia Press.

The Massachusetts doctor who announces that he has weighed human souls and found them to average about an ounce is respectfully requested to place his own nerve on the scales.—New York American.

WHEN FATHER HAS THE GRIP.

Poor mother wears a worried look,
And sister wears a frown,
And if I venture up the stairs
They send me straightway down.
I'm going to the drug store now,
Upon a hurried trip,
To get some other kind of dope,
For father has the grip.

I heard him groaning in the night,
He said his head would split;
And then he thought his back would break;

In just a little bit;
He told us that his legs were sore,
And soon it was his hip;
It seems that everything is sick
When father has the grip.

The doctor came today and left
Some capsules, and he said
To take one each three hours until
The pain had really fled.
Says pa, "That means twelve hours
before

I give this pain the slip;
If he'd find a faster dope,
If he had got the grip."

And then he told ma that he thought
That he was going to die;
An' ma says no, that isn't so,
An' gave the reason why.
Then pa got mad and told her that
He didn't want her lip;
Oh, there's no comfort in our flat
When father has the grip.
—Detroit Free Press.

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For convenience and assistance of readers and advertisers THE TRIBUNE has installed "a Want Ad Telephone Service." If you want to answer an ad bearing a TRIBUNE number simply call up "Oakland 32" and telephone your answer, which will be given to the advertiser promptly. Helps the reader, helps the advertiser.

HEART : TRIBUNE'S PAGE FOR WOMEN : HOME

SOCIETY: GOSSIP ABOUT THE SMART SET

The charity carnival given last evening at the Liberty Theater for the Ladies' Relief Society was a great success and a large audience greeted the clever amateurs who appeared for charity's sake.

The financial part of the benefit promises to be satisfactory and a neat sum will be added to the fund for the rebuilding of the children's home.

A dainty souvenir program was prepared under the direction of Mrs. Henry Martinez. The complete list of participants and the program follow:

Characters—Mrs. Wiggins, Miss Helen Hill; Lavender Pinetwilly, Miss Gabrielle Asplande; Penelope Sallinback, Mrs. Cecil T. Walker; Chaille Topprung, Miss Madeline Lacey; Spriggle Vancor Hunk, Miss Gertrude Neeley; Chickie Niles, Miss Marguerite Shoecraft.

THREE BISHOP PLAYERS.
"An Officer of the King's Guard," a historical sketch, by Janet Edmondson-Walker.

Characters—Sir Henry Clifford, an officer of the King's Guard, Franklin Underwood; Mons. de Beaupre, courtier of the French court, Henry Shumer; Lady Mary Campbell, daughter of the Duke of Argyle, Miss Frances Slosson.

"What the Moon Saw." Characters—Puck, Miss Ruth Burnham; Lilybeth, Miss Gladys Gerish; strolling minstrels, Anita, Miss Sherwood; Wanda, Miss Lily Sherwood; Glycine McCloskey, U. C. freshman, Miss Viola Brainerd; Marsh Mallow, athletic trainer at U. C. ex-prize-fighter, ex-cowboy, Harold K. Baxter; Dawn Fairy, Miss Ruth Burnham. See-saw revellers, pierrots, etc.

"Nurnberg Festival." Characters—Master Kumpfel, inventor of mechanical figures, Mr. Gillespie; Hans, his assistant, Vale Bakewell; Elsa, the village beauty, in love with Hans, Mrs. T. A. Rickard; Gretchen, the village gossip, Miss Virginia Pierce; U. C. students on a vacation in Germany—Bobbie Berkeley, Harold K. Baxter; Lawrence Berkeley, J. J. von Loben Sels; Francis Bancroft, R. H. Williams; Charlie Dana, George B. Fields; Willie Heart, Noel Wright; George Channing, H. Merrick Kinsey; etiquette maddens who "know just how to act," Lisa, Miss Rae Morrow; Bertha, Miss Lilla Le Mart; Olga, Miss Elsie Marwedel; Minna, Miss Savilla Hayden; Frieda, Miss Marguerite Roberts; Mayo, Miss Rae Wellman; Herald to the Grand Duke, P. Baxter. Peasants, tourists, dancers, students, etc.

SERIES OF FANCY DANCES.
"Spectral Dances, Popples—Miss Edna Orr, Miss Virginia von Loben Sels, Miss Edith Coffin, Miss Madeline Todd, Miss Kate McElrath, Miss Eleanor Hook, Miss Frances Williamson, Miss Edna Ralph.

Palm Maidens—Miss M. Morrow, Miss Gladys Wickson, Miss Cornelia Hehman, Miss M. Engelhardt, Miss Hilda McElrath, Miss Hazel Palmanteer, Miss Alice Earl, Miss Louise Hall.

Butterflies—Harry Heilbron, J. Calkins, U. Calkins, Stanley Bryan, Harold Dodd, B. Layman, Tom Haines, Leonard Fletcher.

Bon-Bon Girls—Elizabeth Higgins, Margaret Moses, Frederica Cotton, Eloise Shoecraft, Beta Keane, Georgia Moore.

Pierrot and Pierrette—Miss Flora MacDermot, Miss Ruth Casey, Miss Marietta Havens, Miss Katherine Kutz, Miss Eleanor Phelps, Willard Barton Jr., Frederick L. Samuels, Du Val Moore, George A. McDougald, Stewart Hawley.

Spanish Dance—Miss Savilla Hayden, Miss Charlotte Hall, Miss Eleanor Slate, Miss Gladys Coffin, Miss Rae Morrow, Miss Gladys Brigham, Miss Mary de Fremery, Miss Fannie Plaw.

Tarantells—Miss Emmabelle Zuecker, Miss N. Evans, Miss M. Patterson, Miss Alice Powells, Mr. Lovell, Mr. Davis, Mr. Hayes, Mr. Forster.

Polly and Carolyns—Miss R. Green, Miss Gabriel Asplande, Miss Helen Wright, Miss Edith Page, Albert Clarke, Sydney Smith, Talcot Williamson, Bradley Wallace.

Rustic Dance—Miss Powell, Miss Emmet, Miss L. Gompertz, Miss Jordan, Miss Anna, Miss Sue Miller, Miss Ruth Hall, Mr. Gillespie, Mr. de Fremery, W. Bedford, R. Braden, Mr. Jewett, Mr. Taylor, Mr. Bernals.

Chorus of Peasants—Miss Lillie Le Mart, Miss Heaver, Miss Ruth Kales, Miss Rose Kales, Miss Ada Hayden, W. Christy, Mr. Chese, Mr. Knowles, Mr. Englebright, Mr. Hill, Mr. Walker, Mr. Thomas, Mr. Dickens, Mr. Baxter, Mr. Liddard.

German Students (members of the Orpheus Club)—First tenor, Robert Lynas; second tenors, Carl Anderson, Ben Heath; baritones, Eugene Roland, E. W. Englebright; basses, Leslie Taylor, Dudley Bernals.

Indian Dance—Master de Fremery.

Adolph de Fremery, Virginia de Fremery.

GROUP OF SONGS.

Musical numbers—"Don't You Think It's Time to Marry," "See-Saw Sextette," Miss Marietta Havens, Miss Lilla Schlesinger, Miss Flora MacDermot, Frederick L. Samuels, Willard Barton Jr., Melvin Jeffress; song of "Pierrette," "Little Cherub," sung by Miss Lilla Schlesinger, assisted by Pierrette and Pierrot Chorus; "Pretty Little Bon-Bon Girls," J. A. Fremery, Marsh Mallow and the Bon-Bon Girls; "Now Behold the Peasant Chorus," Janet Edmondson-Walker; chorus of Peasants and Etiquette Girls; "What Delight," solo, Gretchen; "Till Love Comes Back," Solo, Janet Edmondson-Walker; Elsa; "We Are Jolly," Children and Janet Edmondson-Walker, Student Chorus; "Etiquette," A. J. Amberg, Etiquette Girls and Students; "I Wait for Thee," Hans; "I Love Thee," Theo, Marzals, Elsa and Hans; "I Know a Girl Like You," sung by Willard Barton Jr. and Miss Marietta Havens, assisted by See-Saw Sextette; "Let Youth Have Its Fling," A. J. Amberg, chorus.

PATRONESSES.

Mrs. Albert Miller, Mrs. Frank L. Brown, Mrs. George H. Wheaton, Mrs. James de Fremery, Mrs. Harry East Miller, Mrs. C. F. MacDermot, Mrs. Oscar Long, Mrs. J. R. Burnham, Mrs. Moylan Fox, Mrs. Chauncey Taylor, Mrs. Frank Havens, Mrs. Harry F. Gordon, Mrs. J. H. Knowles, Mrs. H. H. Adams, Mrs. Morrison Clay, Mrs. W. F. Kelley, Mrs. A. L. White, Mrs. Augustus Bray, Mrs. William Kales, Mrs. Thomas Mein, Mrs. Egbert Stone, Mrs. Giles Easton, Mrs. Gordon M. Stoip, Mrs. William S. Noyes, Mrs. John Bakewell, Mrs. A. W. Burrell, Mrs. Clarence Crowell, Mrs. Charles C. Cotton, Mrs. Guy C. Earl, Mrs. William Moller, Mrs. David Easterbrook, Mrs. E. C. Farnham, Mrs. T. T. Field, Mrs. Baker, Mrs. C. B. Wheaton, Mrs. Charles Phidias, Mrs. Henry Wetherbee, Mrs. E. H. Marwedel, Mrs. William E. Dougherty, Mrs. T. L. Barker, Mrs. A. J. Cornwell, Mrs. J. E. McElrath, Mrs. S. Dwight Hunter, Mrs. Oscar Lundin, Mrs. J. Loran Pense, Mrs. Frederick Stratton, Mrs. William Taylor, Mrs. E. M. Chabot, Mrs. Thomas Crellin, Mrs. Wallace Everson, Mrs. Bruce Hayden, Mrs. William G. Henshaw, Mrs. A. C. Schlesinger, Mrs. Olive Reid Cushman, Mrs. Hugh Craig, Mrs. W. G. Palmanteer, Mrs. C. O. G. Miller, Mrs. P. J. Van Loben Sels, Mrs. J. S. Carr, Mrs. P. L. Miller, Mrs. Henry Rosenfeld, Mrs. W. E. Sharon, Mrs. S. B. McKee, Mrs. William Garthwaite, Mrs. W. S. Palmer, Mrs. W. H. Lowden, Mrs. Louis E. Spear, Mrs. Kenneth Lowden, Mrs. W. G. Thomas, Mrs. Charles E. Snook, Mrs. H. C. Taft, Mrs. J. Hamilton Todd, Mrs. F. T. Alexander, Mrs. Remi Chabot, Mrs. Warren Olney, Mrs. W. H. Taylor, Mrs. W. L. Oliver.

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SKATING CLUB.

The Lakeside Skating Club will hold its first meeting tonight and one hundred and fifty members are included in the club, while permission will be extended to an additional few to join.

Among the members of the Lakeside Club are a number of San Francisco people, members of Mrs. Ynez Shorb White's club, which has just closed a successful season.

LUNCHEON GUESTS.

Mrs. R. V. Kinney entertained yesterday at a delightful luncheon given at the Clarendon Country Club for two guests of honor, Mrs. H. M. Haldeman and Mrs. S. B. Tobey, formerly of San Francisco, who have come to make their home on this side of the bay. The decorations were daffodils and ferns.

Among those present were Mrs. Haldeman, Mrs. Tobey, Mrs. W. W. Crane, Mrs. F. P. Taylor, Mrs. Geo. B. Gray, Mrs. I. N. Miller, Mrs. C. U.

The Tribune Trophy Tourney

ARM and POSE

Gloves and Hose for Prizes

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"I am a State University lassie and I live in Alameda county," writes somebody to Phidias; and she adds: "I am therefore eligible to enter the tourney that is to decide who of us 'in these diggings' have been favored by Father Time and Mother Nature with the loveliest pair of arms. Enclosed is a poetical effort of yours truly which will express my intentions exactly." The rhyme to which she alludes is rather sprightly, but it bears cleverly on the issue. Here it is:

I'M A VOLUNTEER.

To get new gloves,
Which my sex loves,
I soon will pose
With bare elbows;
I'll say, "Here goes!
Whatever shows!"

I tilt my nose
At all my beaux;
And I have those,
You may suppose—
Oh, they'll be froze
At my disclosure!

To get those hose,
I will expose
Arms pink as rose,
Or baby's toes,
Neck white as snow,
Of Arctic flocs.

My shoulders fair,
I will not spare;
For they must share,
In this my dare;
Some folks will stare,
At sight so rare.

"This matter of posing I find to be a quite serious problem," declares another recruit for the best arm show. "I have your order, but I am hesitating about visiting the art studio it mentions. It takes a genius of an artist to suggest a grand pose, and I want mine to be an original one. What do you advise?" Well, it appears you ought to give said photographer a chance to suit you. His work is positively that of an expert of high degree. You might practice attitude before a mirror. That experiment is popular with actresses. Style of garb must enter into your calculations, and you should know that graceful draping can be effected by use of a scarf or shawl.

Your order has run out on time," is the plaint of an Alameda young lady; "what's to be done? I was waiting for an opera waist." You can tender it at the place indicated; it will be accepted.

The arm contest has grown to be a furore. Many orders have been mailed to applicants and still they come. The first prize for shapeliest arm will be a gift of \$60 worth of silken hosiery. The award for most artistic pose will be a box of gloves. Those

who are of the inclination to take part in the exposition, and who are yet to be enrolled, should notify "Phidias," editorial department, OAKLAND TRIBUNE.

In answer, a Shaw & Shaw free photo order will be sent to your address. Your picture will have to reveal outlines of the entire arm, and should include the best possible view of your hand. The idea is to secure correct and well defined contour. The camera is ever a faithful copyist when rightly operated. Let Phidias furnish you with the means to procure an exquisite likeness of yourself, or if you have just what's wanted, make haste to dispatch it hither. You may be the very one to gain the coveted distinction.

with greens and spring blossoms, the yellow tone predominating.

Mrs. Jones was assisted in receiving her guests by Mrs. F. E. Knowles, Mrs. William Seeley, Mrs. C. F. Fischer, Miss Mary Marsh, Mrs. Edmund Taylor and a group of girls who assisted in serving tea were Miss Anne Evans, Miss Ruth Seeley, Miss Ruth Bell, Miss Horton, Miss Hazel Horton, Miss Fischer, Miss Mary Fischer.

FAREWELL AFFAIRS.
Mrs. E. C. De Wald and Miss Ethel De Wald have been the favored guests at several recent affairs since they are planning to leave shortly for the East. Miss Caro-Mills was hostess at an elaborate dinner for Miss De Wald and Mrs. George W. Reed entertained a few evenings ago at a theater for Mrs. De Wald and her daughter.

OWENS—HERRICK.
The marriage of Miss Burneston Owens and George Anson Herrick will take place at 8:30 o'clock this evening in St. Luke's Church, San Francisco.

The bride will be attended by Miss Edith Curry of Dixon as maid of honor and a quartet of bridesmaids, Miss Marion Wright, Miss Jeanette Wright, Miss Ruth Morton and Miss Anita Davis.

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MRS. ELOISE ARENDS
Another Oakland Lady Who Makes a Fine Picture

perment is popular with actresses. Style of garb must enter into your calculations, and you should know that graceful draping can be effected by use of a scarf or shawl.

Your order has run out on time," is the plaint of an Alameda young lady; "what's to be done? I was waiting for an opera waist." You can tender it at the place indicated; it will be accepted.

The arm contest has grown to be a furore. Many orders have been mailed to applicants and still they come. The first prize for shapeliest arm will be a gift of \$60 worth of silken hosiery. The award for most artistic pose will be a box of gloves. Those

who are of the inclination to take part in the exposition, and who are yet to be enrolled, should notify "Phidias," editorial department, OAKLAND TRIBUNE.

In answer, a Shaw & Shaw free photo order will be sent to your address. Your picture will have to reveal outlines of the entire arm, and should include the best possible view of your hand. The idea is to secure correct and well defined contour. The camera is ever a faithful copyist when rightly operated. Let Phidias furnish you with the means to procure an exquisite likeness of yourself, or if you have just what's wanted, make haste to dispatch it hither. You may be the very one to gain the coveted distinction.

with greens and spring blossoms, the yellow tone predominating.

Mrs. Jones was assisted in receiving her guests by Mrs. F. E. Knowles, Mrs. William Seeley, Mrs. C. F. Fischer, Miss Mary Marsh, Mrs. Edmund Taylor and a group of girls who assisted in serving tea were Miss Anne Evans, Miss Ruth Seeley, Miss Ruth Bell, Miss Horton, Miss Hazel Horton, Miss Fischer, Miss Mary Fischer.

FAREWELL AFFAIRS.
Mrs. E. C. De Wald and Miss Ethel De Wald have been the favored guests at several recent affairs since they are planning to leave shortly for the East. Miss Caro-Mills was hostess at an elaborate dinner for Miss De Wald and Mrs. George W. Reed entertained a few evenings ago at a theater for Mrs. De Wald and her daughter.

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STORK BOARDS TRAIN AND CHANGES WISH OF MOTHER

Babe Is Born Canadian Not American

DETROIT, Mich., April 2.—While a Michigan Central immigrant train was speeding on its way to Windsor yesterday morning a baby was born to Mrs. Mary Rosenbloom, a Russian Jewish immigrant, on her way to the United States. The proud mother was anxious that the child be born in the United States, the land of her adoption, and the engineer put on full speed at her request; but the stork took matters

into his own hands, and the youngest member of the Rosenbloom family will have to claim the Dominion of Canada as the land of his nativity, though he missed being born under the Stars and Stripes by only a few hours.

The little mite of humanity came into the world near Tibury, Ont. One of the Michigan Central surgeons had been notified in advance, and remained with the mother and her child until the train arrived at Windsor.

BEAUTIFUL MANICURIST IS MILLIONAIRE'S BRIDE

Famous Hatmaker Falls Victim to Cupid

NEW YORK, April 2.—The wedding at Milwaukee yesterday of William A. Dunlap, the millionaire hat manufacturer and the owner of Nevada mines, and Miss Lavender Jane Byers, a beautiful young woman, formerly employed in a New York manicure establishment, was the result of an acquaintance which began here only a few weeks ago. Dunlap, who is the son of the founder of the big hat works and who married once before and was divorced,

fell in love with Miss Byers immediately when he dropped into Broadway parlors lately to have his nails polished. In a few days he proposed.

Efforts were made to keep the marriage arrangements secret as a suit for breach of promise brought by Miss Florence Pitt is pending against Dunlap. Miss Byers' mother accompanied her and was present at the ceremony. Dunlap gave his address as Austin, Nevada.

THIS GIRL HAS DISEASE KNOWN AS "TROLLEYITIS."

Hysterical When Rides in Electric Car

BOSTON, April 2.—The Fannie Shapiro is a natural electric battery and surcharged is the only explanation that the scientists can offer for the remarkable experience she undergoes every time she attempts to ride in an electric car. Miss Shapiro is 16 years old and one of the prettiest girls in the Old Church district, in which she lives in Phillips street. The most learned of Boston's hospital surgeons have been unable to fathom the mysterious case.

The moment the young woman boards a trolley car and the current is turned on she is overcome with an uncontrollable desire to laugh and cry. Before she has traveled half a dozen blocks she is in tears and then suddenly becomes exhilarated and breaks into peals of laughter, which she is unable to restrain. She is fully aware of her condition and knows that she is attracting attention, but cannot control herself. She has made every effort to overcome this peculiar condition, but without avail, and twice it has become necessary to remove her to the relief hospital for treatment.

Miss Shapiro is a buxom, rosy girl, the picture of perfect health, and humiliated by her peculiar condition, which has become known as "trolleyitis," she is now walking from her home to her place of employment and says she intends to continue it until the doctors can devise a plan to relieve her of the surplus electrical energy she possesses.

SAVES MAN SHE LOVED BY CONFESSING SHAME

Lives With Him as Wife for Ten Years

ASHEVILLE, N. C., April 2.—To save the man she loved and his lawfully wedded wife, Isabelle Phillips, known in Asheville as Mrs. Samuel J. Taylor, has made a strange confession in which is revealed the story of her unfortunate love. It is a remarkable and pathetic story.

Isabelle Phillips is the mother of Taylor's children. She has lived with him for ten years. She has been a good mother and a loving wife. Taylor ran away some time ago with Gertrude Clontz, a pretty and popular 19-year-old girl at Canton, N. C., to whom he was married at Greenville, S. C. A warrant was issued against him for bigamy. His bride was brought back to her parents and Taylor fled.

Every effort was being made to find him and bring him to justice when Isabelle Phillips made her confession that she had no lawful right to the name of Mrs. Taylor. She has placed all the

blame upon herself and has disappeared, leaving her helpless children to those who will care for them. The letter is addressed to Taylor's sister. It reads:

"Dear Alice, I am so sorry I have to make this terrible confession to you, but I hope and pray that you will all forgive me for this great injustice. Sam said that to save the disgrace from me he would make believe we were married for a while, and then we would go and get married, and it would be all right. He put it off from time to time, and now it is all gone to ruin and I am in more disgrace than ever, and I have brought trouble to all of us. But please forgive me for God's sake, and I am for his sake going to live a better life. I am going to ask once more for your pity and forgiveness, for I love you all and am sick with sorrow."

"If I never see your face any more please think of me the best you can."

"ISABELLA PHILLIPS."

SOMETHING IN CLAIM THAT COLORS AFFECT NERVES

Red Irritates and Should Not Be Used

"There really is something in the claim that colors have a distinct effect on the nerves," said one woman. "I know a bachelor girl who set up her household goods in a little suite which had been papered to suit her taste. Her deep was certainly a picture in red and dull green. Being something of a home body, she spent long hours in the apartment, and at the end of three months found herself transformed from a healthy creature to an irritable semi-invalid. She sought medical advice and was put through a rigid physical examination and a cathartic dealing with her daily life."

The doctor was puzzled. The girl had no organic trouble and apparently her life was as regular as clock work,

yet there was the fact of her nervousness and it could not be overlooked. He ordered a tonic, but before she could get it a summons from home took her miles away from her snug quarters. She remained away a month, and returned to her rooms in her former state of good health.

"Two weeks later the symptoms of irritability had returned and another visit was paid to the physician. This time he got an inkling of the trouble and ordered her away on a visit, which resulted as he expected. The red-room was the source of mischief, and it had to be sacrificed. A soft neutral paper on the walls of the living room allowed her to be as serene as nature meant her to be."

OAKLANDER IS CHIEF WITNESS

Further Testimony Taken in Controversy Between Telegraphers and R. R. Company.

SAN FRANCISCO, April 2.—Promotion and wage scale were the principal features of yesterday's session of the board of arbitration to adjust the differences between the telegraphers and the Southern Pacific Company.

Professor Carl Plehn, of the University of California, was the first witness at the morning's session. His testimony related almost wholly to the case of living as recorded by the Bureau of Commerce and Labor. The wage scale, as noted by this report, was very similar to the various rules located in the dispute.

After Professor Plehn's testimony had been introduced, the counsel for the railroad introduced the rules and regulations of many railroad companies operating in this section of the country, showing salaries paid to telegraphers, dispatchers and station agents and covering a period from 1900 to 1907.

CHIEF WITNESS.
A. E. Roome, superintendent of telegraphers for the Southern Pacific Company, Oakland, was the chief witness of the day. He was asked whether or not he thought it would be advisable for members of the Order of Railroad Telegraphers to legislate for train dispatchers in relation to the hours of labor, scale of wages.

"Certainly that would be a most inadvisable thing to be allowed," replied the witness. "I do not think it would be conducive to any good for employees working in an executive capacity to legislate for those whose duties are wholly administrative."

Roome testified that he had been a member of the Order of Railroad Telegraphers in 1886 and 1887. He had also tried to get permission to teach two young boys, aged 15 and 16, respectively, the telegraphic art, that the order interfered, and that he therefore withdrew from its membership. He did not think that every operator could make a good train dispatcher on account of the fact, for example, that intelligence required for such a position.

ONE AT A TIME.

When asked whether or not a man belonging to the telegraphers' order could serve the railroad properly he replied:

"I don't think any one can serve two forces at the same time."

The reduction of the Sunday work day was entirely impracticable, said the witness. Such an inauguration would be a matter of losing the salary of the operators, and would mean an extra expenditure of \$200,000 per year. It was moreover a matter that could not be successfully worked out, especially on the main lines.

Roome was again placed on the stand today.

PLEASING PLAY AT MACDONOUGH

Quaint Characters in "Mrs. Wiggs Wiggs of the Cabbage Patch" Bring Uproars.

The Macdonough theater was packed to the doors last evening when Mrs. Wiggs of the Cabbage Patch was the attraction. Mrs. Madge Carr Cook, as the good-looking Mrs. Wiggs, kept the audience in a continuous uproar, and about Miss Vivian Ogden, as the love-lorn Miss Hazy, too much cannot be said; in fact, all the characters, including Lovey Mary, Mr. Stubbs, Mrs. Elchorn, and the remaining cast, were so good that the play is a perfect success in every respect.

The scenery is excellent, especially the one of the cabbage patch. There are to be three more performances of Mrs. Wiggs of the Cabbage Patch tonight, tomorrow matinee and tomorrow night.

ASK GOVERNOR TO OFFER BIG REWARD

At a special meeting of the Oakland Bar Association, held yesterday at the office of the secretary, George DeCola, President Geo. W. Reed, presiding, strong remarks were made by the leading attorneys of this city concerning the recent outrage perpetrated upon Judge Ogden, and many plans were suggested as to future action in the matter. The association took formal action by unanimously passing a resolution, requesting Governor Gillett to offer a suitable reward for the miscreant's arrest and conviction.

NEW COMPANY HAS BEEN INCORPORATED

The Meera Construction Company has filed articles of incorporation with the County Clerk. The capital stock is given at \$10,000, all of which has been subscribed. The directors in the concern are Robert and Charles W. Meera of Irvington and Eugene H. Stevenson and H. W. Emerson of Berkeley.

ATTORNEY DROPS DEAD ON PORCH OF HOME

Frank J. Bonney, attorney-at-law, living at 523 Twenty-third street, dropped dead this morning. Bonney complained of pains in his chest this morning and was on the back porch when death came to him. Bonney was at one time a partner of Henry McPike.

Aches

Of some kind are the heritage of nearly every one, from the infant and the child to the middle-aged and the old. Headache, nervousness, muscular and rheumatic pains, and the aches and pains of old age, can be found on the right principle and that accounts for the wonderful success of

Dr. Miles' Anti-Pain Cure

They never fail to cure all cases of pain, because they treat the cause, the nerves. By soothing the irritated nerves they lessen the tension, build up the system and the blood, causing the blood to flow through the veins and thus allay the pain.

Periodic headaches that unfitted me for business several days at a time have been my life experience. I found first relief in Dr. Miles' Anti-Pain Pills, and since then I have invariably found relief by taking a pill when I feel them coming on.

B. M. MOOREHEAD, Windsor, Conn. The first bottle I bought of you. The druggist will return your money. 23 doses 23 cents. Never sold in bulk.

BOARD OF EDUCATION NOW TAKES UP BIG QUESTION

Members Again Refer to Teachers' Salaries and Recommend an Early Settlement of Present Difficulties.

C. H. Reddington was elected by unanimous vote, at last night's meeting of the Board of Education, to serve as president of that body for the ensuing term. Of the new board, only three of the members were on last year's board: C. H. Reddington, Dr. J. B. Wood and Ed. E. Crane. The remainder of the board is composed of new members. They are Directors Ore, Kelly, Stevenson, Cook, Gore, Hannaford, Greenwood and O'Connor.

NEW COMMITTEES.
Following are the committees appointed: Classification—Crane, Ore and Kelly. Evening schools—Stevenson, Wood and Gore. Furniture and supplies—Cook, Gore and Ore. Finance—Hannaford, Crane and Gore. High school—Kelly, Greenwood and Wood. Judiciary—Gore, Hannaford and Crane. Manual training—Wood, O'Connor and Stevenson. Observatory—O'Connor, Kelly and Greenwood. Rules and regulations—Ore, Cook and O'Connor. School houses and sites—Greenwood, Stevenson and Hannaford. Some time ago Allan Lake, who attended the Cole school, scraped a few square inches of paint from a forty-foot pole which stands in front of the school. Principal Greenwood sent the boy home, telling him that he could not return until the pole had been repainted. Young Lake procured some paint and covered up the scars which he had made, but for some unaccountable reason he was not permitted to re-enter school. The boy has been out of school for seven weeks now, and his father appeared before the board last evening and asked for a speedy settlement of the case. The matter was referred to the rules and regulations committee for investigation.

City Superintendent of Schools McClymonds has submitted a detailed report of the affairs of the department.

RECOMMENDATIONS MADE.
Superintendent McClymonds recommended that the salaries of teachers be materially increased. He said it was a matter for the consideration of the finance committee of the Board of Education, and the finance committee of the City Council and Mayor Mott.

The matter will be taken into consideration in the very near future.

SET FIRE TO CLOTHES OF BOY JUST FOR FUN

Three Chicago Youths Pour Alcohol Over Sleeping Lad and Then Apply a Match.

CHICAGO, April 2.—Three boys, whose ages range from 12 to 14 years, were arrested today charged with setting fire to the clothing of Michael Laocoo, a 17-year-old boy, while the latter lay asleep in a hallway. The boys gave the names of Lester Hall, Walter Leonard and James White.

According to the story of one of the boys, they wanted to see some fun.

They first attempted to light Laocoo's clothing with a match but were unsuccessful. They went to a drug store and secured a bottle of alcohol, the contents of which they poured over the sleeping boy's clothing.

As the flames enveloped his body, Laocoo was awakened and after a futile attempt to extinguish the blaze he rushed into the street where he fell unconscious. He was taken to a hospital, where his condition was said to be serious.

NEW COUNCIL MEETS AND BEGINS TENURE OF OFFICE

Councilman Elliott Is Elected President and Mostly All Old Employees Are Re-Elected.

Although the Council meeting was called for 8 o'clock last evening, it was nearly 9 o'clock before the members of the committee room. All of the "dads" were on hand at convening hour, but committee appointments had not been settled, so there was nothing else to do but caucus. This delayed the inaugural ceremonies, and gave ample time for the lobby to fill.

In the office of Street Superintendent Ott and Mrs. Mott and two friends, Mrs. Elliott and friends, together with half a dozen others, friends of members.

After calling the Council to order, City Clerk Thompson put in order the nomination of a President of the Council. Councilman Pendleton nominated A. H. Elliott for that position.

PRESIDENT'S ADDRESS.
In accepting the honor bestowed upon him the new President said in part: "I cannot say that notwithstanding the honor given me, I am in serious doubts if I can do the position justice as you would like. I am in San Francisco all day long. Oakland is a growing city and no longer a village, so I think the President of the Council should be a man in Oakland. Notwithstanding that, if you want me to occupy the chair I will take the position and do the best I can to be a just and fair presiding officer."

"I have no prejudices against any Councilman. It will be fair to all. Every member of the Council shall have every chance of fair debate. Whatever views you may have, you will be granted the opportunity to express yourself on all matters. As chairman I will not confine you to any particular views."

"I have a personal request of you that I want to ask, and that is to be in your seats so the meetings can be called promptly at 8 o'clock. Unless sick or detained by some other cause which I cannot evade, I will sound the gavel at 8 o'clock. If I am not here, call a chairman to act pro tem."

PLENTY OF BUSINESS.
There is too much business for this City Council, and our meetings cannot do all the work at night, and for that reason I ask that you be here promptly

at the regular meeting hour and get right down to business.

"I have chosen committees and appointed their chairmen, men who, I think, are fit to occupy the positions. I want their reports to mean something. There are great responsibilities to the chairman of the committee, and record should contain a complete record and not a mere summary of the work executed by the committee."

"Any Councilman that has not been fairly treated I want to come to me either privately or in public and state their grievances."

As soon as President Elliott had concluded his address thanking the Council for the honor in electing him presiding officer, the election of other officers of the legislative body were taken up resulting as follows:

By Burns, Frank R. Thompson, city clerk; by Baccus, E. F. Holland, deputy city clerk; stenographer to the Council, Miss Lucile H. Peres; named by Mullins; by Everhardt, Jerome B. Green, for city whittaker; by Stadler, Julius Zabel, for poundmaster; by Altkan, John Wiles, for janitor; by Burns, Frank Colvin, for night watchman at the City Hall.

The nominations made were unanimously elected, the caucus slate going through smoothly.

WILL PREPARE RULES.

President Elliott appointed a committee of three on rules to govern the Council; the committee to report at the next meeting. On the committee are Messrs. Ellsworth, chairman; Eahn and Pendleton.

TO FIX WATER RATE.

President Elliott of the City Council announced last night that standing committees would meet Thursday night. The Council will act as a committee of the whole on Monday night and act on the fixing of water rates for the ensuing year.

Relative to franchises applied for by various railways the matter, on motion of Councilman Burns, was deferred until next Monday night, when a date for hearing before the committee of the whole will be set.

TO SENTENCE BRUTAL MAN

Prisoner Who Threw Woman Downstairs Will Learn Fate.

Charles O'Neil was up for sentence this morning on his plea of guilty to a charge of battery. O'Neil was arrested February 15, after he had beaten Mrs. C. Norbie in a brutal manner. The woman was bruised on the face and head, her hand crushed, then O'Neil threw her down stairs, breaking one of her legs.

Mrs. Norbie is now in the County hospital where she is partially paralyzed from her injuries. The physicians at the hospital say it will be two or three months before she will be able to appear in court.

O'Neil will receive sentence tomorrow morning. As there is also a charge of intoxication against him, the sentence will probably be a stiff one.

UNHAPPY COUPLES ARE GIVEN FINAL DECREES

Final decrees were granted this morning to Frank L. Southwell and Katie M. Southwell and to Mary Machado, against Joe Machado. Both were on the grounds of desertion.

LAUNDROMEN HOLD GROUND

Strikers Work Hardships In All Parts of County—Railroads Suffer.

Neither the striking laundry workers nor their late employers made a move today toward an agreement on a settlement of the difference that has resulted in the tie-up of the eight big steam laundry plants of the county. Several of the laundry companies across the bay have acceded to the demands of the union, and the officials of Laundry Workers' Union, local No. 65, hope for a weakening of the still defiant stand taken by the Oakland and Alameda laundries.

Great hardships are being imposed on both the Pullman Company and the Southern Pacific railroad by reason of the laundry strike. Perhaps the greatest annoyance is being felt by the railroad because their linen supply depends more or less on the local laundry work.

The average soiled linen turned over to laundries by the Pullman Company in Oakland consists of about 11,000 pieces daily. To ward off the possibility of the railroad sending laundry to Salt Lake, Portland and Los Angeles the strikers have sent delegates to the places mentioned who will insist that the laundries of those places, all unnamed, shall not handle any work from Oakland during the pendency of the strike here.

ROOMER GIVES WOMAN LARGE BOGUS CHECK

Mrs. M. McPherson, 905 Harrison street, rented a room six weeks ago to David T. Towne. Her roomer left the city Sunday night, giving his landlady a check for \$35, covering rent to the date he left.

Yesterday Mrs. McPherson received the check from the bank marked "No account." She can frame it now, as Towne has left the city and has his trunk with him.

CASHES HEART WITH CHECK

While Paying Bill at Hotel Capitalist Falls In Love With Cashier.

LOS ANGELES, April 2.—George S. Wilson, a prominent bachelor and capitalist, took as his bride Miss Katherine E. Norton, an Illinois girl, who for a year has been cashier in the Nadeau Hotel. It was there the romance had its inception when Wilson went to cash a check and lost his heart.

Wilson is a member of one of the early families of wealth and owner of the Wilson block and other valuable properties. He was four years in the military service in the Philippines. In the latter part of the war he was in the Philippines and the bride tour will include all the United States and Europe.

SELECTING JURYMEN IN CONDEMNATION SUIT

A venire of jurymen was examined today to hear the condemnation suit brought by the Western Pacific against Peter J. Mathews et al. for a right of way, consisting of eleven acres across his place at Fitchburg, which he asked \$42,500. The railroad company refused to pay the price which it claimed was exorbitant, so took the matter to court.

The case is on before Judge Ellsworth in department three of the Superior Court. The attorneys representing the Gould interests are Olney & Olney, W. J. Barnett and C. E. Shook, while Mathews has for his attorneys Dudley Kinsell, M. C. Chapman, F. W. Hall and John B. McElroy.

ROBBERS STEAL \$23 WORTH OF FISH

Reports of work of "eggmen" continue to come into police headquarters. Harry E. Walsh, of 1808 Thirteenth avenue, reports a gold watch stolen from his home last night.

Shih Shi & Co., 750 Webster street, report lock broken off their fish market front door and two cases of fish, valued at \$23.50, stolen.

Look Into The Boys' Shop

See the big store brim full of the best and latest togs for all the boys, from the smallest tot of two years to the young man of twenty.

THE BOYS' SHOP

is the place to buy your boys' clothes. The latest styles, the best values and the largest assortment.

\$10 YOUTHS' SUITS
These suits comprise some of the latest styles for young men in a variety of new patterns. They are well tailored and are considerably under priced at our \$10.00 special sale.

THE BOYS' SHOP
Washington St., Cor. 10th
Your Boys Our Hobby.

Miner From Santa Clara Gets In Front of Vehicle And Is Hit.

To better guard the safety of its patrons and passengers, the Oakland Traction Company had railings placed on the passageways of its new cars in order that passengers getting on and off would be protected from the approaching cars. This morning a miner, Ed Reynolds, from Santa Clara, took an exception to the safety railings and jumped out under the bars to reach the street.

Just about the time that Reynolds stepped to the pavement another car was coming up Broadway. Both cars stopped and caught him before the motorman could reverse his brakes. Reynolds was badly cut and bruised about the head.

The injured man was taken to the receiving hospital, where his wounds were dressed.

Tribune Wants Messenger Boys

Messenger boys are wanted in the editorial department of THE TRIBUNE.

Stamping in gold on leather goods at THE TRIBUNE Bindery.

LECTURES ON TEMPERANCE

Noted Woman Speaker Coming Here and Will Make Many Addresses.

The Women's Christian Temperance Union held its semi-monthly meeting yesterday at its headquarters, 1115 Jefferson street. The members of the society unanimously voted to entertain Miss Marie C. Brehm under the auspices of the association. On April 16 Miss Brehm will deliver her famous lecture on "Scientific Temperance," by courtesy of the committee on temperance of the Presbyterian church.

The distinguished lady will lecture in Oakland under the following subjects: "Scientific Temperance," "Equal Opportunities," "The World's Outlook," "The Woman Question," "The Coming Victory," "The Little Swiss Republic," and "Francis Willard."

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THIS BROKER BADLY WANTED

Warrants Issued Charging Well Known Man With Embezzlement.

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Mrs. John Barker was the wife of John Barker, at one time proprietor of the Colonial Hotel and at present one of the proprietors of the Hotel Jefferson, San Francisco.

ARRANGING HEAVY BAIL REQUIRED OF DETWEILER

Admissions of Relatives Indicate Missing Man Is Hiding Near His Home in Toledo.

TOLEDO, O., April 2.—Every effort is being made by friends and relatives of A. K. Detweiler to raise the \$130,000 bond necessary to insure his release from jail after he is captured by the San Francisco authorities.

T. H. Tracey, the fee trust lawyer, who has been engaged in the case, admits that efforts along those lines are in progress, but he steadfastly refuses to discuss the case in any of its phases.

Detectives are searching as hard as they know how to get a line on Detweiler and extra men are being used to assist them.

From George Detweiler, who is doing all the work for his brother, comes the statement that A. K. Detweiler is feeling as well as can be expected, while that he is a sick man; all of which goes to prove conclusively that

Stenographer Wanted

First-class stenographer is wanted in the Editorial Department of THE TRIBUNE.

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From George Detweiler, who is doing all the work for his brother, comes the statement that A. K. Detweiler is feeling as well as can be expected, while that he is a sick man; all of which goes to prove conclusively that

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WHY WOMEN ADMIRE STRONG MEN



SPORTS—EDITED BY EDDIE SMITH—SPORTS

FREEMAN'S PARK WILL BE READY FOR OPENING GAME

New Home of the Oakland Baseball Club Will Be in Shape for the Regularly Scheduled Opening Contest.

By T. P. MAGILLIGAN.

Through the Herculean efforts of President Ed Walter of the Oakland baseball club, the grounds at Freeman's park will be in condition for the regularly scheduled opening.

While it is not certain that there will be a game at Freeman's park next Sunday morning it is an assured fact that the grounds will be ready for the players a week later.

Barren a piece of fence that will have to be erected in right field the grounds are in good shape and now ready for the opening.

Mr. Walter declares that all arrangements have been completed for the opening of the grounds at Freeman's park and that baseball is now an assured fact for this city.

PLAYERS DOING WELL.

Continued good word of the work of the Oakland team at Santa Barbara, reach here.

Yesterday Ed Walter received a letter from Van Halteren in which the veteran extolled the work of the men under him.

"Hogan is doing great work," declared Van Halteren. "He is waiting the ball in great shape and he can be played in the outfield should it be necessary to use him in the outer works. He is hitting the ball freely and shows a great disposition to get in the swing at all times."

"Big Truck" Bagan is in grand shape. He has taken off fat rapidly and is moving around shortstop in great shape. Guess his hitting won't help, eh?

Halley has shown wonderful improvement at second base. He is not as nervous as he used to be, and I think he will be more aggressive this year. I heard him use a couple of cuss words the other day, which is encouraging.

WRIGHT A STAR.

"The new pitcher Wright is certainly the goods. He is, if anything, a speedier pitcher than Randolph, and all the fans know that Randolph is a very fast pitcher. Wright is a very fast pitcher, and besides being a good pitcher seems to be a fair sort of hitter."

Reidy's foot is mending rapidly. The boneless step in the game and he will be in the game very soon. Billy is enthusiastic over the outlook and believes that the Oakland team will be the one that the rest of the bunch will have to beat for the pennant honors in the Coast.

The new pitcher is still merely a candidate for the team, and whether he will make good or not remains to be seen. This fellow Basse continues to show great form. He is a very fast pitcher, and as good as a fielder as any man would care to look at.

BLISS IS MISSED.

Manager Van Halteren has advised President Walter to hustle Jack Bliss. Bliss is a very fast pitcher, and may be trained to play in the opening of the season. Van Halteren wants to avoid this, and a great deal of the team owing to his knowledge of baseball and his ability to pull off plays with the infield. Bliss should join the team at once. He is badly needed and while Van Halteren wants to be sure to have two catchers at the training camp.

CATCHERS DEGENERATING.

That the catchers of the present day are an inferior lot was the contention of the fan at an informal meeting of baseball enthusiasts held at the club house last night. The speaker, who is a very clever pitcher, said that there is not a catcher in America today the equal of the great King Kelly or Buck Ewing. Both these players are dead now, but when they were alive they were wonderful catchers.

The Boston American League team has a great catcher in Criger, but he is far from being the all round player that Kelly and Bennett were.

"Chicago's catcher is a very good one, but he can hardly be compared favorably with either Kelly or Ewing when they were at their best."

"The Philadelphia Athletics have a splendid catcher in Mike Donovan, but he is only a second class catcher, and a thrower, but who is a very clever pinch hitter."

"Old Jim McGuire of the New York Highlanders is about all. This will be his last season with the New Yorks, and he is now slow and old. He is still a good hitter, but Griffith will have to replace him. Kilebow, the other New York American backstop is only a pinch hitter."

"St. Louis has not a good catcher on either of its teams. Jack O'Connor is getting too old, but he was a good man when he was right. Detroit has not one good man. Clark and Bemis of Cleveland are both of the old school, and are a fair catchers. The New York Nationals have a great catcher in Bresnahan, but Bowerman is not the player that he once was."

"In all," concluded the old timer, "the catchers of the present generation are a far inferior lot to the boys who wore the mask a decade ago."

KLONDISKY LEAGUE.

Probably when the north pole is discovered the discoverer will find that it has been pulled up and is being used for a baseball bat. At any rate, baseball is thriving in the Arctic circle, and one of the most popular leagues in the world exist there. Within the last few weeks agents for the league have been in Los Angeles, Seattle and Chicago striving to entice professional players to go up and play in the Klondisky league, which this year consists of Juneau, Skagway, Dawson, Fairbanks, Douglas City, and White Horse.

The tales that are told of the old Klondisky league are related to us by Tommy Welch, S. S. (which means shortstop), who used to play in the National league so long ago that most of the fans have forgotten him. Welch is believed to be one of the fastest company about fifteen years ago, because his arm was gone. But for several years he has been one of the stars

JIMMY CARROLL WILL MEET MONTE ATTELL FRIDAY NIGHT

Crack Featherweights Should Put Up a Fast and Interesting Bout at the Dreamland Rink.



KYLE WHITNEY

who will fight "Spider" Welsh, the hard-hitting native son at Dreamland Friday night.

The fighters who are to provide the pugilistic entertainment under the auspices of the California Club at Dreamland Pavilion Friday night are all actively engaged in preparing for their respective contests. Frankie Edwards, the speedy Oakland lightweight is doing his work at the Reliance Club and looks to be fit and ready for his go with Joe Leahy. Willie O'Neill, the crack Australian featherweight, who has been a tough out in Alameda, is doing his work at the California Club and looks to be fit and ready for his go with Monte Attell. Jimmy Carroll, the banianweight champion, who has been a tough out in Alameda, is doing his work at the California Club and looks to be fit and ready for his go with Monte Attell.

HAL CHASE, KING OF FIRST BASEMEN, TO JOIN NEW YORK

NEW YORK, April 2.—Word has been received in this city that Hal Chase, noted first baseman of the New York American Baseball club, will join the team in a few days. Chase, who lives

TURF INTERESTING NOTES ABOUT RACING MATTERS GOSSIP

By LEE DEMIER.

Yesterday's racing card was made up of two purse and four selling events, and was only of the fair order. The fourth and sixth races brought out the most in the way of class and clever sprinters lined up in each event. All races had a decidedly open look and a number of long-shots upset calculations for the large Monday gathering, but good sport was witnessed.

Gin Hee, Wicklow and Convent Bell, the two former winning brackets, and the latter running second yesterday, are the get of St. Arvonics.

Bookmaker Bearwald cleaned up on Wicklow.

Charley Henshall has returned from Mexico.

Secretary G. A. Wahlgren of the Denver Overland Racing Association announced that the meeting this year will open June 15 and continue twenty-five days, ending on July 10. The stakes will be \$50,000. There will be five running races each day. The total distribution will exceed \$50,000.

Inquisitor is training more kindly for Tom Welsh this spring. He became a sulker last fall and Welsh decided to castrate him.

Joe Weber, who has been assisting Starter Dwyer, both at Williams Park and at the Brookline Country Club meeting in June, Grandpa won this stake last year.

"Three Greys," Duffell, Paddy Lynch and E. M. Brattin were the center of attraction yesterday.

"Pop" Ward is now presiding over the Western Club.

Grandpa has been entered for the Grand Annual Steeplechase to be run at the Brookline Country Club meeting in June. Grandpa won this stake last year.

"You can bet, but you mustn't do it with a roof over your head," said Nat Ray when some one at Denning asked him as to the recent decision of the Supreme Court in Canada.

Dr. Rowell informed yesterday that Walter Miller pulled up a little today after he came out of the big race Saturday and that Firststone, who had to be withdrawn from the Grand Stakes on account of kicking himself, was not as bad as Firststone thought it would be and is rounding to get well by Saturday.

ASCOT TRACK CLOSING ITS GATES

So far as the beating end of the game is concerned Ascot Park, the beautiful racing plant near Los Angeles, is out of business. If any races are run there in the future it will have to be without the accompaniment of books.

The passing of Ascot marks the closing of what was one of the prettiest race plants in America.

The recent war on racing has closed many of the race tracks in this country.

First City Attorney Healey of Chicago made a fight on the game in Chicago and his efforts resulted in the closing of the sport in that city.

When Polk was nominated Governor of Missouri, he made a war on the racing elements in that State and closed all the racing plants in the State.

RACE WON BY AMERICAN BOY

LONDON, April 2.—Maheer, the American jockey, won the Queen's prize of 1000 sovereigns at the Kempton Park meeting today on Lord Derby's Bridge of Canny. The event was for three-year-olds and upward at one and a half miles.

Amateur Notes.

The Iota Delta Bette baseball club has recently been organized. This team is composed of some of the fastest players for boys in Oakland.

Ed Martin is one of the star twirlers. He certainly is a "comer." Tom Hogan is covering first sack in fine shape.

Horace Spruce is a fast ground coverer and he is playing short. Keep your eyes on him, boys. The demon rear head is there with the stick, too. When it comes to hitting leave it to the kid. Kid-Romero boxes Jim Kennedy six fast rounds before this club. Jim Kennedy is the fastest kid skater in Oakland. Watch for the fight.

Address all challenges to Herbert Hemmer, 1223 Webster street, Oakland, California.

The crack Oak Run Baseball team of San Francisco started their third year at the St. Mary's college grounds last night. The team was composed of the following players: Manager Sam Campi, captain, and the following players: Brothers' nine of Berkeley, score 3 to 1. Young Juri "The Mision strong boy" did fine work in the box for the winners and fielded his position superbly. O'Neill and Foppa made some nice work in the outfield and Taylor's base running and Hoerkorn's batting were noticeable.

The winners outlasted their opponents as they did on two former occasions when the Oaks beat the Berkeleyites. Manager Sam Campi certainly has a fast aggregation of ball players this year and is anxious to hear from any country team in the West. This is a splendid game. Please communicate to him at 255 Twenty-second street, San Francisco.

SCORE:

Oak Run 8 10 1
Martinez Brothers 4 4 4
Batteries, Juri and Degardis; Olsen and Van. Umpire, Sam Campi.

LIGHTWEIGHT CHAMPION IS WELL RECEIVED AT CHICAGO

Negro Scrapper Is Freely Applauded When He Announces His Readiness for Battle With Nelson.

By EDDIE SMITH.

Last night in Chicago Battling Nelson endeavored to tell the Chicago sports that it was not his fault that a match between him and Gans was hanging and that he was ready to sign articles at a moment's notice. But evidently did not know that the dark complected champion was in the house and when Gans jumped into the ring and announced that he was ready right then to sign articles for a return match at 133 ring side it worked as magic with the large audience that had gathered to witness the wrestling match between Frank Gans and Nelson Burns and they in one accord gave the negro a real send off. Nelson attempted to refute the statement of the clerk boy and was royally hissed for his trouble and the crowd would not allow him to finish his remarks. Pretty tough, Bat, to get a deal like that in your own town where it was supposed you stood so well. One year and a half ago when the San Francisco sporting public took exception to the actions of one Billy Nolan the eastern newspaper men and boxing fans were inclined to believe that the Frisco people had tried to take a cruel advantage to the Fighting Dane and that Nolan had succeeded in saving him from the clutches of a band of pugilistic wolves who desired to devour the fighter from Chicago. Nolan's actions since then, however, have forever set this idea and the eastern writers' desire having the ever generous and fair dealing manager of the great fighter just as the California press has. There has been considerable talk about the eastern sporting writers trying to break off the partnership between the pair but this hardly seems possible as the combination are something alike in believing everyone in the game is out to rob them. This is the second time that Nelson has received during the past month: one at Milwaukee and the other last night in the town where he made his start. This fact will never break up the Nolan-Nelson combination, but if it keeps up the pair are accorded a few more such receptions it will have a tendency to make them sit up and think, and might possibly end the prize of the

always robbed pair into signing articles with the negro that would warrant the public's patronage.

Today the managers of the various amateur clubs are consoling one another and hoping for the best. The cause for all this worry is the fact that yesterday the San Francisco Supervisors refused to grant their requests for regular permits. Supervisor Kelly suggested that the granting of the permits should first come up before the Police Committee as a matter of courtesy and then back to the Supervisors. Kelly may have been suddenly overcome with a siege of official etiquette and the sending of the requests for permits to the Police Board may mean nothing; but until the matter is settled the managers of the clubs will be uneasy. James Coffroth the astute promoter of professional fights was on hand with a request for a permit to conduct a fight this month but when he saw how the amateur permits were turned down he quietly withdrew from the meeting and will await the next meeting of the City Fathers before making his request.

Frankie Neil is again itching to enter the ring and to show that he is not bluffing has notified the writer that he is willing to post \$1000 with the writer to bind a match between himself and "Fighting" Dick Hyland, the forfeit to go as a side bet if the red topped manager of the Grass Valley boys so desires. Judging from the opponents that Frankie picks out he seems to be in trying his hand at hard game. He has had repeated offers of late to fight easy ones but has persistently refused them and for some reason cares only for those who are considered the best in his class. In taking on Hyland he would be giving away considerable weight and would be greatly handicapped. Two years ago Neil met Hyland and knocked him out in fifteen rounds and since that time Neil has never expressed any desire to try and erase the defeat from his record. Neil after watching the Hyland-Thompson fight the other night expressed the opinion that Hyland was improving to any great extent and that he would be glad to accommodate him with another match.

DAD MOULTON HAS LARGE SQUAD ON TRAINING DIET

Veteran Trainer of Stanford University Places Twenty-Six Athletes on Diet for Meet With California.

Trainer Dad Moulton of the Stanford University team has placed twenty-six of the college athletes on a diet at Stanford in anticipation of the coming intercollegiate meet, with the University of California. Until April 30 the runners and distance men of the varsity will be placed at the diet table.

Following is the list of men who will be placed at the training table:

Sprinters—Holman, Scott, Reed, McNeil, Vandervoort, Edwards, Elwell.

Hurdlers—Captain Macfarland, Feeble, Halsey, Bradley.

Distance men—Nash, Miller, Severy, E. C. Shelton, Davis, Maundrell, Bradford, Cooney.

Two mile weight men—Crawford, Stirling, Lanagan, Kocher, Aynesworth, Ford, Morris.

Scott, Maundrell, Reed, Halsey and Bradley are the freshmen who made the best showing against the Berkeley team last year in the intercollegiate contests on Saturday. It is expected that others from the 1910 material will before long qualify for the training table, which is equivalent to an entry in the big meet. Most of the others in the group competed in Los Angeles on Saturday against the University of Southern California.

The next event in track circles will be the intercollegiate meet on Friday, April 13 the varsity squad will go against the crack crew which has been gathered under the colors of the Olympic Club. The San Franciscans are expected to put up the hardest tussle of the year, outside of the blue and gold team.

Word comes from Eugene that the Oregonians are making great preparations for the contests with the cardinal and white team of Oregon. Eugene has a worthy aggregation of athletes, and they feel that it would be a decided boost to their prestige to down Captain Macfarland and his men. The feeling here is that the clash with the northern team will be the most interesting of the year, and even a break for either university.

BOWLERS TO MEET HERE SHORTLY

HORSEBRING ONLY FAIR PRICES

There was an auction of Aplos bred horses at the stable of Chase & Co. in San Francisco last night. R. F. Fitzpatrick paid the best price of the night for a pair of geldings by an imported French coach stallion.

None of the horses brought high prices, but the bidding was spirited at times.

Below is the list of purchasers:

Chestnut filly by Dexter Prince-Gallop, to J. Rosenberg for \$335.

Bay filly by Cupid-Lady Ascat, to R. W. Leach for \$180.

Bay gelding by Aplos Wilkes-Chloe, to E. Benson for \$250.

Chestnut gelding by Dexter Prince-Princess Louise, to C. Rule for \$190.

Chestnut gelding by Dexter Prince-Psychic, to C. G. Haven for \$215.

Chestnut filly by Aplos Wilkes-Liveston mare to Al Croule for \$170.

Bay filly by Dexter Prince-Erosin to J. Phocas for \$210.

Bay filly by Dexter Prince-Countess, to C. H. Wiedeman for \$200.

Bay gelding by Cupid-Hulda, to C. H. Wiedeman for \$170.

Brown filly by Aplos Wilkes-Azantine, to J. P. Blessing for \$190.

Bay gelding by Dexter Prince-Emma E. Jr., to J. B. Shroyer for \$240.

Bay filly by Cupid-Emma S., to J. Leggett for \$200.

Bay gelding by Cupid-Niploche, to P. Donnelly for \$170.

Chestnut filly by Aplos Wilkes-Zarina, to M. Ludwig for \$200.

Bay filly by Dexter Prince-Yenus, to C. H. Wiedeman for \$245.

Bay filly by Cupid-Aplos-Wilkes-Neonta, to F. A. Biedman for \$200.

Brown gelding by Dexter Prince-Christiana, to W. Murray for \$200.

W. G. Irwin bought a black mare for \$225 and J. P. McCarthy purchased a bay gelding for \$225. The United Cattle Company paid \$235 for a bay gelding.

A man is going some when he can roll 162-168 at ducks. That is what E. C. Mowry did last week. You have to hand it to E. E.

When it comes to ten pins, you have to take off your hat to E. C. Mowry. Not many days since he rolled 255-256, and that's going it a bit for a man with rheumatism.

Two Seattle men who were returning from the Denver tournament happened into the alley one day, and began to look for scalps, that is, they wanted to roll someone at ten pins. Doc Merrill and Rellie, who were hanging around, looked wise, and then offered to accommodate them. As you probably know the two men are artists when it comes to bowling, and they beat the two Seattleites by a good margin. This goes to show what some of our local talent can do.

Here's a bunch of scores for you that would make you think you were seeing things. These were all made at the Oakland alleys in the month of March.

At ducks we have the following: S. L. Bruun, 129; W. P. Sweet, 135; J. Ahearn, 134; H. Beckman, 138; Kelly, 124; and E. Eskinan, 208. 21. Good scores, those—eh?

S. Fish, 131; E. E. Smith, 132-158; E. C. Mowry, 218; Sanford, 119 and Apzal, 122.

Glance at the following for high scores on ten pins: H. E. Smith, 249; W. P. Sweet, 248; J. P. Blessing, 245; S. L. Bruun, 240; J. Davidson, 208; E. Eskinan, 208. 21. Good scores, those—eh?

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7 room high basement cottage not new but well cared for lot 7'x115 near 12th and Chestnut streets.

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Modern 5 room cottage high basement lot 22x115 near San Pablo and 31st streets.

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Five lot 2x108 on Union and 28th sts actual worth \$50 now get it quick.

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Next 6 room bungalow, lot 50x100 feet close to car line, well located in East Oakland.

\$4500

An 8 room residence on Linden street near 12th, easily converted into flats. No 4533.

\$5500

This is a nice home of 7 rooms 2 bal conies billiard room gas and electric, ver sunny fine residence. Only a few minutes to business center by two dif ferent car lines.

\$4750

Large 8 room residence about two years old south of 24th street between Telegraph and Grove streets. A very fine and can be converted into a pair of fine flats now renting at \$50 per month.

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Fine pair modern flats 18th street very close in renting \$750 per annum. These flats are almost new and should easily bring \$7500.

\$4250

A choice pair of flats of 4 and 5 rooms each on 24th street very desirably located. southern exposure. Very sunny, will pay 14 per cent on the investment.

\$10,000

Strictly up to date 11 rooms living room 18x25 feet connecting with dining room same size. Liberal large reception hall five bedrooms hot and cold water in each two terraces billiard room on a northwest corner, 66 feet frontage. This is one of the best residence districts of Oakland. This place is very attractive in every particular.

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Fine business corner within five minutes walk of Broadway surrounded by business houses elegant location for stores or lower floor and apartments above northeast corner 100x100 feet. This corner is very cheap at \$2000 per front foot and will sell for \$40000 within the next 6 months. The improvements to be made in this locality warrant this assertion.

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7 rooms all modern lot 30 by 80 feet, fine corner in fine location.

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3 rooms on Klirkham St.

\$5000—

6 rooms, high basement, all modern, lot 30 by 150 feet.

\$1600—

4 rooms, lot 25 by 120 feet.

\$1850—

Cottage 4 rooms bath, etc lot 30 by 100 feet.

\$2600—

6 rooms summer kitchen bath etc. lot 25 by 125 feet.

\$1100—

3 rooms near 16th St depot a few fine lots left near Golden Gate for \$35 per lot.

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Lot on Occidental St near Lorn location.

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Lot 2x110 only a few minutes walk to 2 electric cars city water, no expense for street work. Price \$750.

\$150 Cash, \$6 Monthly

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Cottage 4 large rooms and bath attic and all newly floored large enough for 4 more rooms high basement with wash tubs and kitchen concrete foundation city water lot 25x100 adjoining East Oakland, price for all \$250.

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Hard finished cottage, 4 rooms and bath pantry washroom electric lights, lot close to local train schools church 5 near. Price for all \$250.

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Down Town Residence

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This is a very fine 8-room residence, situated in the advance line of the city's progress between San Pablo Ave and Grove St. In the vicinity of 15th St. It is on the sunny side of the street 25 ft. of lot every foot of which is a piece of the current market value. It is a house that could not be reconstructed for \$4000. This is a bargain and can be turned over at once at advance price or it can be held to great advantage for speculation. The rental will yield at once an interest of 10 per cent. Get after this at once.

7-Room House

\$3750

Located in East Oakland convenient to street cars local schools and churches in a large ground house in fine condition. Large bedrooms present owner desiring a move at advance price or it can be made permanent. \$1200 cash and \$35 per month.

Handsome Five-Room Cottage

Walking Distance

\$1000 Cash

This is approximately on 22nd and San Pablo Ave. a handsome beautifully finished cottage on a lot about 30 by 100. The walls are finished with a fine mantle, a marble top open plumbing gas electric and is really a fine looking place. This is a new lot new total price \$3500.

Elegant Flats

\$7500

Why not get hold of this income property on 7th St. It will give you easily and regularly an income of \$70 per month. The ground value (it's a 33 foot lot) is nearly \$2000. The contractors today demand \$600 for constructing the same kind of a first building. The location is close to Telegraph Ave. and the Key Route, hence very convenient. Every thing about the flat is modern and first class. Come and investigate.

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\$20,000

Buy good in one property on corner lot, \$1000 is dirt cheap for flats on Telegraph Avenue, rented for \$100 per month.

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Cheap lots on easy terms near cars and Key Route.

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59th and Telegraph

\$850—

Corner lot on 3rd St. east of Telegraph 30x100.

\$800—

Lot east of Telegraph and near 12th St. 30x125.

\$1500—

4 rooms, high basement, all modern, lot 30 by 150 feet.

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OAKLAND HARBOR NEWS

the following were the arrivals and de-
partures of vessels at Oakland harbor for
the twenty-four hours ending at noon
last:

Long wharf.
Stmr Needles, 2995 tons, Horner, London; bricks and cement.

1800 Havina, 645 tons, Hall, from Eu-
 180,000 lb. number.
 1800 South Sea, 100 tons, Sorsen, from
 250,000 lb. number.
 1800 Mandalay, 266 tons, Sanford,
 1800 in C. C. City; 1800 in Juneau, 1800
 1800 Breakwater, 793 tons, McLean,
 1800 in Coos Bay; 200 tons coal and 160,000
 number.

TOO LATE TO CLASSIFY

1800 sunny furnished housekeeping
 rooms, 1113 Foresta St., one block
 from "A" St. station, Ke. Route.
 1800 eight-room house in Piedmont just
 completed. Owner, Box 1705, Tribune.
 1800 AVAILABLE to let—Two to six stalls, 457
 6th St.
 1800 GIGGENTILL saddle horse, four years,
 well schooled. Box 1704, Tribune.
 1800 UNWANTED. Money—Wanted to borrow
 \$1000 at 5 per cent. will give
 first mortgage on good inside property.
 J. A. Knapp, Phone Oakland 8047.

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ner; no agents need apply. Address
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TO buy a horse for delivery:
must be young, sound, gentle. P. Bo-
man. 225 5th St., near Alice.
POST - 3 checks amounting to \$14.50,
between 2nd and Washington and 1st
and Broadway. Finder will return them
and receive suitable reward. Acme
Bankery, 657 Broadway.
BAR CARTER, Alcohol massage. 913
Broadway. Room 2.
CPLY finished, sunny room; run-
ning water; electric light 503 3rd.
Between Telegraph ave. and Grove.
E. ROOM. Dressed or undressed

with bath, suitable for two men or
man and wife; can get breakfast and
dinner if desired. 431 Hawthorne St
UNFURNISHED rooms, with bath
or housekeeping. 431 Hawthorne St
NO unfurnished elegant, sunny,
connected housekeeping rooms; grate, gas,
running water bath. 1227 3rd ave.
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6 rooms, from owner at right price
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MEN and women in Alameda County to
 sell choice suburban lots; liberal com-
 mission; experience not necessary, and
 will not interfere with any other duties.
 Apply at once. 868 Broadway,
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UNION Gas Engine Co., 23d Ave., E.

oid to assist stock-keeper; must have had experience in similar work. Union Gas Engine Co., 234 Ave., East Oak land.

WANTED—Competent girl for general housework in family of two; must be fair complexion. Call Telephone Berkeley bet. 9 and 12.

GIRL for cooking and assist in general housework. 254 9th St.

OR SALE—Two racable bicycles in good condition, one motor brakes, a new tire, pump, repeating rifle, and shotgun; a buffalo lap robe, a Singer sewing machine, and a 1500-gal. redwood

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EXHAUSTED BY HYSTERIA

Nebraska Rancher's Wife Talks
and Sings Herself to
Death.

M'PHERSON, Neb., April 2.—Mrs. Amanda Hill, wife of Morris Hill, a ranchman living in this county, died several days ago under very peculiar circumstances, according to advices received here. Mrs. Hill literally talked and sang herself to death. She had been an acute sufferer from a nervous affection for a number of years, and her malady did not yield to medical treatment. At times she became hysterical, but her hysteria was of the usual kind until a few days before she died, when it took a very strange and unusual form. Four days before her death she began to talk and sing, and she talked and sang almost constantly from that time until, completely exhausted, her heart ceased to beat. Her talking and singing were evidently of a hysterical nature, and she was unable to cease either. She was requested and commanded to keep silence, but could not do so.

Doing Business Again.
"When my friends thought I was about to take leave of this world, on account of my nervousness and general debility," writes A. A. Chisholm, Treadwell, N. Y., "and when it looked as if there was no hope left, I was persuaded to try Electric Bitters, and I rejoice to say that they are curing me. I am now doing business again as of old, and am again gaining the benefit of all the medicines. Guaranteed by Osgood's, druggists, 7th and Broadway, and 12th and Washington, Oakland, 60 cents."

MICHIGAN UNIVERSITY MEMORIAL PLANS.

ANN ARBOR, Mich.—If the plans of the alumni memorial committee do not miscarry, it is probable that the corner stone of the Michigan Memorial building will be laid during commencement week next June.
About \$107,000 has now been raised by the committee and it is thought that \$20,000 or 25,000 can still be secured by subscriptions. The preliminary plans of the building provide for a structure to cost in the neighborhood of \$175,000.
At the last meeting of the regents the board was asked to appropriate enough money to make the total amount sufficient to put up the building. This plan was laid before the regents in view of the fact that the new building will accommodate the university's art collection. This will make it unnecessary to enlarge the library and the money thus saved can be advantageously spent on the alumni's project.
The plan thus presented was favorably received by the board and they decided to adopt it if the legislature grants an increased appropriation.—Chicago Evening Post.

Ladies Can Wear Shoes

one size smaller after using Allen's Foot-Powder. A powder to be shaken into the shoes. It makes tight or new shoes feel easy; gives relief to corns and bunions. It's the greatest comfort discovery of the age. Cures and prevents swollen feet, blisters, calluses and sore spots. Allen's Foot-Powder is a certain cure for sweating, tired, aching feet. At all druggists and shoe stores, 25c. Don't accept any cheap imitations. Write for FREE by mail. Address, Allen S. Cim-stead, L. Roy, N. Y.

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Each one with a power to attract.
Each one the height of style and grace.
Each one at a price that pleases.

Great interest is being manifested in our elaborate and vast showing of the newest creations. This department of late, has been the scene of a great throng of women who have been studying the spring styles, trying them on and making selections. Women comment favorably upon the style and beauty of Hale's Millinery, and are particularly surprised at the attractiveness of each hat and the lowness of the prices.

Many effective models that look like \$10 hats for... **\$4.75**

Hats, at the above price, are a specialty with us, and we have several hundred to choose from—only one of a style—striking designs with effective trimmings; all color combinations.

Large number of handsome models—look like \$18 hats for... **\$10**

These hats have won many a pleased customer. Some are trimmed with ostrich plumes; the color of the ostrich feathers is in wide variety—shades that will match any suit. See these beautiful models at Hale's to-day.

Elaborate Showing of All the New Laces and Trimmings at Hale's

Interestingly Low Prices on Every Yard

Thousands of yards of exquisite patterns—novel effects of the newest design—the kind of lace that will be used extensively this year. Unusually interesting is manifested in the finer laces—some of them are the son's most attractive novelties. Venice and Baby Irish effects are also very much in vogue this spring.

At Hale's laces of all kinds will be found in the greatest variety—the choicest patterns and at the lowest prices. Our advantageous buying in large quantities assures you of important saving on every yard. See Hale's vast display of the latest novelties to-morrow. Here are a few hints as to prices:

Fine Thread Torchon Laces at Special Dozen-Yard Prices

3c yard, 35c dozen. Narrow "little Edgings" and insertions, 1/4 to 1 inch wide.

10c yard, 10c dozen. Edgings and insertions, 1/4 to 1 1/2 inches wide.

10c yard, 10c dozen. Cotton Cluny Laces, in sets.

10c yard, 10c dozen. Valenciennes Edgings, 1/4 to 3/4 inch wide, some worth as much as 25c yard.

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COUNCILMEN DECIDE UPON PLAN TO PAY FOR OUTLET

City Fathers Pass Resolutions Effecting the Residents Outside Town Limits, Giving Them Sewer Privileges.

Property inside the city limits has been assessed to pay for a large expenditure for the outlet of main sewers, while property outside the city limits and adjacent has contributed nothing to the expense. The city council accordingly adopted a resolution to assess the outside property 5 mills a square foot, to be paid into the public treasury of the city, in order that they may be granted the privilege of the whole.

It was recommended that a sanitary district be formed to conform as a requirement of the whole.

MAY APPOINT DEPUTIES.

Councilman Pendleton introduced an ordinance last night in the council authorizing the city auditor to appoint two deputy assessors at a salary of \$150 a month each, one at \$125 a month and one deputy auditor at a salary of \$125 a month. The ordinance was sent to the auditing and finance committee.

HOUSE NUMBERING.

Councilman Everhardt presented a resolution last night calling on the city engineers to make recommendations as to a more intelligent method of numbering houses in the city than is now

in use, together with an estimate of cost for records, field and office work to make necessary changes.

BETTER INVESTIGATIONS.

When an extension of ninety days was asked in the city council last night by the Blake & Bilger Company, which is working on Racine and Occidental streets, President Elliott requested that all extension in time presented in the future should be carefully investigated by the street committee and not recommended unless absolutely necessary. The two requests asked last night were granted.

TO STRAIGHTEN STREET.

Councilman Burns presented a resolution calling on the city engineer to make surveys and present same to the street committee of the property at the northeast corner of Telegraph Avenue and Nineteenth street. This property encroaches upon the sidewalk of Telegraph Avenue, and it is for the purpose of straightening the street at that point that the resolution was introduced.

CHANGE STREET NAME.

There was an ordinance introduced last night in the council changing the name of Boulevard to Commercial Boulevard. The judiciary committee will pass on the ordinance.

Ordinance and Judiciary—Elliott (chairman), Burns, Stachler, Pendleton, Jackson.

Streets—Elliott (chairman), Mullins, Stachler, Burns, Hahn.

License—Burns (chairman), Everhardt, Elliott, Jackson, Alken.

Public Works—Elliott (chairman), Jackson, Elliott, Pendleton, Baccus.

Wharves and Water Front—Jackson (chairman), Burns, Stachler, Everhardt, Alken.

Railroads—Stachler (chairman), Pendleton, Burns, Mullins, Hahn.

Street Lighting—Alken (chairman), Everhardt, Mullins, Elliott, Hahn.

Fire and Water—Hahn (chairman), Stachler, Pendleton, Jackson, Baccus.

Public Improvement—Baccus (chairman), Burns, Hahn, Alken, Mullins.

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WILL FOLLOW CHINESE HUBBY

Native Daughter Shares Mongolian's Disgrace and Leaves for China.

LOS ANGELES, April 1.—True to her promise, Emma Culver of Duarte, the young California girl who a month ago married Yee Lung, a Chinaman, started with the latter yesterday, when, with thirty-seven others of his race, he was loaded on board a Southern Pacific train bound for San Francisco, en route to Hongkong, on an order of deportation from this country.

Miss Culver is the niece of a missionary worker. (She met the young Chinaman in Monrovia several months ago and finally the couple fell in love. After their marriage, Yee Lung was arrested, and after a trial in the Federal Court was ordered deported. His young wife stayed by his side constantly and when the order of deportation was made against her husband, she announced that she would go with him to China. Today she boarded the train with him. The party is in charge of Deputy United States Marshal J. S. Durbin and six assistants. The Chinese will be put on board the steamer tomorrow and shipped to Hongkong.

NEW YORK NOVELTY.

New Yorkers are insatiable in their demand for novelty, and the host who supplies something new in more certain to have his invitations accepted than any other.